

SENATE BILL SUMMARY

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SB 1512 Transportation and Transit Authorities by Senator Geller

Revises the definition of "agency" to exclude any transportation or transit authorities from the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act.

Requires 80 percent of the proceeds from the rental car surcharge collected in each county served by the South Florida Regional Transportation Authority to be deposited in an account held by the authority.

Provides that the Department of Transportation is relieved of funding net operating costs for local intercity or commuter rail service development projects if a recurring funding source, including the rental car surcharge or an equivalent recurring funding source, is dedicated to the authority and collection from such funding source begins. If collection begins in the middle of a fiscal year, funds provided for the authority's net operating costs must be prorated. (See bill for details)