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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Ring moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 1464 and 1465

insert:

Section 33. Section 339.70, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

339.70 Authority referendum.—

(1) An authority created by an act of the Legislature, under condition to become effective upon approval by vote of the electors of the area affected, which has authority over matters related to transportation, including matters concerning a public



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12 right-of-way, and which has the authority to issue bonds, must
13 not, in the event of referendum, be subject to consolidation or
14 dissolution more than once every 8 years.

15 (2) A referendum that has not been expressly agreed to by
16 an authority affected under this section may apply only to
17 future bond issuances and may not affect an existing bond
18 issuance.

19 (3) This section does not apply to the following:

20 (a) If the authority subject to referendum expressly agrees
21 to a consolidation or dissolution.

22 (b) An entity governed by or created by chapter 308,
23 chapter 309, chapter 310, chapter 311, chapter 313, chapter 315,
24 chapter 329, chapter 330, chapter 331, chapter 332, chapter 333,
25 chapter 343, chapter 348, or chapter 349.

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27 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

28 And the title is amended as follows:

29 Delete line 178

30 and insert:

31 vehicle; creating s. 339.70, F.S.; limiting the number
32 of referenda for consolidation or dissolution that
33 certain authorities may be subject to upon approval of
34 the electors of the area affected; specifying that a
35 referendum not expressly agreed to by an authority
36 applies only to future bond issuances; providing
37 exceptions; amending s. 526.141, F.S.; requiring self-

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