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1 2 An act relating to the Rupert J. Smith Law Library, 3 St. Lucie County; amending ch. 2001-326, Laws of Florida, as amended; providing for the appointment of 4 5 an additional member to the board of trustees; 6 providing an effective date. 7 8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 9 Section 1 of section 3 of chapter 2001-326, 10 Section 1. Laws of Florida, as amended by chapter 2006-336, Laws of 11 Florida, is amended to read: 12 There is hereby created a Board of Trustees to 13 Section 1. 14 be known as "Board of Trustees, Rupert J. Smith Law Library of Saint Lucie County," which said board shall consist of six five 15 16 members; the membership of the said board shall consist of a Circuit Judge who is a resident of Saint Lucie County, to be 17 18 designated by the Chief Judge of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit, one member of the Board of County Commissioners of 19 20 Saint Lucie County to be chosen by the said Board of County Commissioners biennially, two active practicing attorneys who 21 22 reside in the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit Saint Lucie County, 23 one to be appointed by the president of the Saint Lucie County 24 Bar Association and one to be appointed by the president of the 25 Port Saint Lucie Bar Association, and two a lay members, one

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26 member to be appointed by the president of the Friends of Saint 27 Lucie County Library Association, Inc., and one to be appointed 28 by the Board of Trustees, Rupert J. Smith Law Library of Saint 29 Lucie County. At the time this act takes effect, two attorneys 30 shall be appointed for a term of 1 year, beginning on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January of each year. The 31 32 Board of Trustees shall have full power and authority to 33 establish, operate, and maintain one or more law library 34 facilities within Saint Lucie County at such place or places as may, from time to time, be designated by said Board of Trustees; 35 36 to prescribe rules and regulations as to its own functions and organization; and to prescribe and enforce rules and regulations 37 38 as to the use, maintenance, and operation of said law library. 39 Said Board of Trustees shall purchase books, furniture, equipment, and supplies either for cash or upon retained title 40 41 or other contracts that shall be payable solely out of said law library fund and not otherwise. 42

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Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

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