

By Commissioner Mills

1 A proposal to revise
2 ARTICLE I, Fla. Const.; providing for an
3 Environmental Bill of Rights.

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5 It is proposed by the Florida Constitution Revision Commission
6 that:

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8 Section 1. Article I of the Florida Constitution is
9 revised by adding section 26 to that article to read:

10 ARTICLE I

11 DECLARATION OF RIGHTS

12 SECTION 26. Environmental Bill of Rights.--Every person
13 has a right to live in an environment that is free from the
14 toxic pollution of manufactured chemicals; to protect and
15 preserve pristine natural communities as God made them; to
16 ensure the existence of the scarce and fragile plants and
17 animal species that live in the state; to outdoor recreation;
18 and to sustained economic success within our natural resources
19 capacity.