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Senator Simmons moved the following:

1 **Senate Amendment to Amendment (234288) (with title**
2 **amendment)**

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4 Delete lines 368 - 378

5 and insert:

6 (13) (a) A person younger than 21 years of age may not
7 purchase an assault weapon. The sale or transfer of an assault
8 weapon to a person younger than 21 years of age may not be
9 knowingly and intentionally made or facilitated by any person,
10 including a licensed importer, licensed manufacturer, or
11 licensed dealer. A person who violates this subsection commits a



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12 felony of the third degree, punishable as provided in s.
13 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084. Solely for the purposes of
14 this paragraph, the term "assault weapon" means a fully
15 automatic or semiautomatic rifle or shotgun or a semiautomatic
16 rifle or shotgun that has a fixed magazine capacity of more than
17 10 rounds of centerfire ammunition. The term also includes a
18 semiautomatic rifle or shotgun when it is loaded with a
19 detachable magazine having a capacity of more than 10 rounds of
20 centerfire ammunition or when the rifle or shotgun is possessed
21 by a person under 21 years of age who also possesses a
22 detachable magazine for the rifle or shotgun which has a
23 capacity of more than 10 rounds of centerfire ammunition.

24 (b) The prohibitions in paragraph (a) do not apply to the
25 purchase of a rifle or shotgun by a law enforcement officer or
26 correctional officer, as those terms are defined in s.
27 943.10(1), (2), (3), (6), (7), (8), or (9), or to a
28 servicemember as defined in s. 250.01. This paragraph expires on
29 July 1, 2021, unless renewed by the Legislature.

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

32 And the title is amended as follows:

33 Delete lines 2435 - 2440

34 and insert:

35 from purchasing an assault weapon; prohibiting the
36 knowing and intentional sale or transfer, or
37 facilitation of a sale or transfer, of an assault
38 weapon to a person younger than a certain age by any
39 person, including a licensed importer, licensed
40 manufacturer, or licensed dealer; providing criminal



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41 penalties; defining the term "assault weapon";
42 providing exceptions; providing a repeal date for such
43 exceptions; amending s. 790.0655, F.S.; revising the