

By Senators Campbell, Dawson and Meek

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A bill to be entitled  
An act relating to the Florida Civil Rights  
Act; amending s. 760.02, F.S.; redefining the  
term "employer"; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Subsection (7) of section 760.02, Florida  
Statutes, is amended to read:

760.02 Definitions.--For the purposes of ss.  
760.01-760.11 and 509.092, the term:

(7) "Employer" means any person employing one ~~15~~ or  
more employees for each working day in each of 20 or more  
calendar weeks in the current or preceding calendar year, and  
any agent of such a person.

Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2000.

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SENATE SUMMARY

Redefines the term "employer" to mean any person  
employing one or more employees, rather than 15 or more  
employees, for purposes of the Florida Civil Rights Act.