

Amendment No.      (for drafter's use only)

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Representative(s) Brummer offered the following:

**Amendment (with title amendment)**

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and insert:

Section 1. Section 256.15, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

256.15 Display of U.S. flag; prohibition unlawful; penalty.--

(1) It is unlawful for any person to prohibit:

(a) The display of a portable, removable flag of the United States that is less than 3 feet by 5 feet, or

(b) The display of the flag of the United States that is less than 3 feet by 5 feet by means of a portable, removable flag pole that is no higher than 13 feet and no greater than 6 inches in diameter.

This section shall not apply if the display of the flag of the United States constitutes a threat to the health, safety or welfare of any person or interferes with the operation of a

1 business, religious, or educational institution or if such  
2 display violates a municipal or county ordinance.

3 (2) A violation of this section constitutes a  
4 noncriminal violation. The first violation shall be punished  
5 by fine in an amount not to exceed \$500. A second or  
6 subsequent violation shall be punished by fine in an amount  
7 not to exceed \$10,000.

8 Section 2. This act applies retroactively regardless  
9 of any declaration rules or requirements of homeowners'  
10 association dealing with flags or decorations.

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14 And the title is amended as follows:

15 On page 1, line 6,  
16 remove: all of said line

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18 and insert:

19 providing penalties; providing a retroactive  
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