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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to the United States flag;
creating s. 256.15, F.S.; providing that it is
unlawful to prohibit the display of the flag of
the United States; providing an exception;
providing penalties; providing an effective
date.

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

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 the
display of the flag of the United States unless the display
would constitute a threat to the health or safety of any
person.

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

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