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Amendment No. Barcode 685218

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Senator Holzendorf moved the following amendment:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 1782, between lines 28 and 29,

insert:

Section 1083. Subsection (1) and paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (2) of section 790.115, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

790.115 Possessing or discharging weapons or firearms at a school-sponsored event or on school property prohibited; penalties; exceptions.--

(1) A person who exhibits any sword, sword cane, firearm, electric weapon or device, destructive device, or other weapon, including a razor blade, box cutter, or knife, ~~except as authorized in support of school-sanctioned activities,~~ in the presence of one or more persons in a rude, careless, angry, or threatening manner and not in lawful self-defense, at a school-sponsored event or on the grounds or facilities of any school, school bus, or school bus stop, or within 1,000 feet of the real property that comprises a public

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1 or private elementary school, middle school, or secondary
2 school, during school hours or during the time of a sanctioned
3 school activity, commits a felony of the third degree,
4 punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s.
5 775.084. This subsection does not apply to the exhibition of a
6 firearm or weapon on private real property within 1,000 feet
7 of a school by the owner of such property or by a person whose
8 presence on such property has been authorized, licensed, or
9 invited by the owner.

10 (2)(a) A person shall not possess any firearm,
11 electric weapon or device, destructive device, or other
12 weapon, including a razor blade, box cutter, or knife, ~~except~~
13 ~~as authorized in support of school-sanctioned activities, at a~~
14 ~~school-sponsored event or on the property of any school,~~
15 ~~school bus, or school bus stop, + however, a person may carry a~~
16 ~~firearm.~~

17 ~~1. In a case to a firearms program, class or function~~
18 ~~which has been approved in advance by the principal or chief~~
19 ~~administrative officer of the school as a program or class to~~
20 ~~which firearms could be carried;~~

21 ~~2. In a case to a vocational school having a firearms~~
22 ~~training range; or~~

23 ~~3. In a vehicle pursuant to s. 790.25(5); except that~~
24 ~~school districts may adopt written and published policies that~~
25 ~~waive the exception in this subparagraph for purposes of~~
26 ~~student and campus parking privileges.~~

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28 For the purposes of this section, "school" means any
29 preschool, elementary school, middle school, junior high
30 school, secondary school, vocational school, or postsecondary
31 school, whether public or nonpublic.

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1 (b) A person who willfully and knowingly possesses any
2 electric weapon or device, destructive device, or other
3 weapon, including a razor blade, box cutter, or knife, ~~except~~
4 ~~as authorized in support of school-sanctioned activities,~~ in
5 violation of this subsection commits a felony of the third
6 degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or
7 s. 775.084.

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9 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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

13 And the title is amended as follows:

14 On page 7, line 25, after the semicolon,

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16 insert:

17 amending s. 790.115, F.S.; eliminating certain
18 exceptions provided with respect to the
19 prohibition against possessing weapons or
20 firearms at school-sponsored events or on
21 school property;

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