

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Davis, M. offered the following:

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3 **Amendment**

4 Remove line(s) 174-203 and insert:

5 (1)(a) A person may not knowingly operate a vessel, or

6 authorize the operation of a vessel, in violation of the

7 restrictions of a safety zone, security zone, regulated

8 navigation area, or naval vessel protection zone as defined in

9 and established pursuant to 33 C.F.R. part 165.

10 (b) The intent of this section is to provide for state and

11 local law enforcement agencies to operate in federally

12 designated exclusion zones specified in paragraph (a). State and

13 local law enforcement personnel may enforce these zones at the

14 request of a federal authority if necessary to augment federal

15 law enforcement efforts and if there is a compelling need to

16 protect the residents and infrastructure of this state. Requests

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17 for state and local law enforcement personnel to enforce these  
18 zones must be made to the Department of Law Enforcement through  
19 the Florida Mutual Aid Plan described in s. 23.1231.

20 (2) A person who knowingly operates a vessel, or  
21 authorizes the operation of a vessel, in violation of the  
22 restrictions of such a safety zone, security zone, regulated  
23 navigation area, or naval vessel protection zone commits a  
24 misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable as provided in s.  
25 775.082 or s. 775.083.

26 (3) A person who continues to operate, or authorize the  
27 operation of, a vessel in violation of the restrictions of such  
28 a safety zone, security zone, regulated navigation area, or  
29 naval vessel protection zone after being warned against doing  
30 so, or who refuses to leave or otherwise cease violating the  
31 restrictions of such a safety zone, security zone, regulated  
32 navigation area, or naval vessel protection zone after having  
33 been ordered to do so by a law enforcement officer or by  
34 competent military authority, commits a felony of the third  
35 degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s.  
36 775.084.

37 (4) A person who knowingly enters a safety zone, security  
38 zone,