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CHAMBER ACTION

1 The Committee on Education K-20 recommends the following: 2 3 Committee Substitute 4 Remove the entire bill and insert: 5 A bill to be entitled 6 An act relating to sexual offenders; amending s. 947.1405, 7 F.S.; prohibiting certain sexual offenders subject to 8 conditional release supervision from living within a 9 specified distance of public schools and certain places 10 where children congregate; prohibiting district school 11 boards from establishing school bus stops within 1,000 12 feet of the existing residence of persons prohibited from living within 1,000 feet of a school bus stop; requiring 13 14 the Department of Corrections to notify each school district within a specified time period of the location of 15 the residence of a sexual offender subject to conditional 16 17 release supervision; providing that failure of the district to comply with such provision shall not result in 18 19 a violation by the resident; providing penalties; creating 20 s. 794.065, F.S.; prohibiting persons convicted of certain 21 sex crimes from residing within 2 miles of a school or 22 within 1,000 feet of a day care center, park, or

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51 2004, neither the commission nor the department shall approve a 52 residence that is located within 2 miles of a school or within 1,000 feet of a day care center, park, playground, designated 53 54 school bus stop, or other place where children regularly 55 congregate for any releasee who is subject to the provisions of this subparagraph. On October 1, 2004, the department shall 56 57 notify each affected school district of the location of the residence of a releasee 30 days prior to release and shall 58 59 thereafter notify any affected school district of the residence 60 of a releasee if the releasee relocates to a new residence 61 within 30 days after relocation. If, on October 1, 2004, any 62 public school bus stop is located within 1,000 feet of the 63 existing residence of such releasee, the district school board 64 shall relocate such school bus stop. Beginning October 1, 2004, 65 a district school board shall not establish or relocate a public 66 school bus stop within 1,000 feet of the existing residence of a 67 releasee who is subject to the provisions of this subparagraph. 68 The failure of the district school board to comply with the 69 provisions of this subparagraph shall not result in a violation 70 of conditional release supervision.

3. Active participation in and successful completion of a sex offender treatment program with therapists specifically trained to treat sex offenders, at the releasee's own expense. If a specially trained therapist is not available within a 50mile radius of the releasee's residence, the offender shall participate in other appropriate therapy.

A prohibition on any contact with the victim, directlyor indirectly, including through a third person, unless approved

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79 by the victim, the offender's therapist, and the sentencing 80 court.

If the victim was under the age of 18, a prohibition 81 5. 82 against direct contact or association with children under the 83 age of 18 until all of the following conditions are met:

84 Successful completion of a sex offender treatment a. 85 program.

86 b. The adult person who is legally responsible for the 87 welfare of the child has been advised of the nature of the 88 crime.

89 Such adult person is present during all contact or c. 90 association with the child.

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Such adult person has been approved by the commission. d. 92 б. If the victim was under age 18, a prohibition on 93 working for pay or as a volunteer at any school, day care 94 center, park, playground, or other place where children 95 regularly congregate, as prescribed by the commission.

96 Unless otherwise indicated in the treatment plan 7. 97 provided by the sexual offender treatment program, a prohibition 98 on viewing, owning, or possessing any obscene, pornographic, or sexually stimulating visual or auditory material, including 99 100 telephone, electronic media, computer programs, or computer services that are relevant to the offender's deviant behavior 101 102 pattern.

A requirement that the releasee must submit two 103 8. specimens of blood to the Florida Department of Law Enforcement 104 105 to be registered with the DNA database.

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106 A requirement that the releasee make restitution to the 9. victim, as determined by the sentencing court or the commission, 107 for all necessary medical and related professional services 108 109 relating to physical, psychiatric, and psychological care. 110 10. Submission to a warrantless search by the community 111 control or probation officer of the probationer's or community controllee's person, residence, or vehicle. 112 113 Section 2. Section 794.065, Florida Statutes, is created 114 to read: 115 794.065 Unlawful place of residence for persons convicted 116 of certain sex offenses. --117 (1) It is unlawful for any person who has been convicted 118 of a violation of s. 794.011, s. 800.04, s. 827.071, or s. 847.0145, regardless of whether adjudication has been withheld, 119 in which the victim of the offense was less than 16 years of 120 121 age, to reside within 2 miles of any school or within 1,000 feet 122 of any day care center, park, or playground. A person who violates this section and whose conviction for s. 794.011, s. 123 124 800.04, s. 827.071, or s. 847.0145 was classified as a felony of 125 the first degree or higher commits a felony of the third degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083. A person who 126 127 violates this section and whose conviction for s. 794.011, s. 128 800.04, s. 827.071, or s. 847.0145 was classified as a felony of 129 the second or third degree commits a misdemeanor of the first 130 degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083. (2) 131 This section shall apply to any person convicted of a 132 violation of s. 794.011, s. 800.04, s. 827.071, or s. 847.0145 133 for offenses that occur on or after October 1, 2004.

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