

Bill No. SB 1068

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The Committee on Criminal Justice (Crist) recommended the following amendment:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

On page 4, line 7, delete that line

and insert:

Section 4. Subsection (7) of section 812.155, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

812.155 Hiring, leasing, or obtaining personal property or equipment with the intent to defraud; failing to return hired or leased personal property or equipment; rules of evidence.--

~~(7) EXCLUSION OF RENTAL-PURCHASE AGREEMENTS.--This section does not apply to personal property or equipment that is the subject of a rental purchase agreement that permits the lessee to acquire ownership of the personal property or equipment unless the rental store retains title to the personal property or equipment throughout the rental purchase agreement period.~~

Section 5. This act shall take effect October 1, 2005.

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2 And the title is amended as follows:

3            On page 1, line 12, after the semicolon

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5 insert:

6            amending s. 812.155, F.S.; deleting a provision

7            specifying that the prohibition against

8            obtaining personal property or equipment with

9            intent to defraud does not apply to a

10           rental-purchase agreement unless the rental

11           store retains title to the property or

12           equipment throughout the period of the

13           rental-purchase agreement;

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