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1 2 An act relating to driver's licenses; amending 3 s. 562.11, F.S.; providing an additional penalty for providing alcoholic beverages to a 4 5 person under the age of 21; creating s. 6 322.057, F.S.; authorizing a court to withhold 7 issuance of, or suspend or revoke, the driver's 8 license of certain persons who provide 9 alcoholic beverages to persons under the age of 21; providing an effective date. 10 11 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 12 13 14 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 562.11, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 15 562.11 Selling, giving, or serving alcoholic beverages 16 to person under age 21; providing a proper name; 17 18 misrepresenting or misstating age or age of another to induce 19 licensee to serve alcoholic beverages to person under 21; penalties.--20 (1)(a)1. It is unlawful for any person to sell, give, 21 serve, or permit to be served alcoholic beverages to a person 2.2 23 under 21 years of age or to permit a person under 21 years of 24 age to consume such beverages on the licensed premises. A person who violates this subparagraph commits Anyone convicted 25 of violation of the provisions hereof is guilty of a 26 misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 27 28 775.082 or s. 775.083. 29 2. In addition to any other penalty imposed for a violation of subparagraph 1., the court may order the 30 31 Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to withhold

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1	the issuance of, or suspend or revoke, the driver's license or
2	driving privilege, as provided in s. 322.057, of any person
3	who violates subparagraph 1. This subparagraph does not apply
4	to a licensee, as defined in s. 561.01, who violates
5	subparagraph 1. while acting within the scope of his or her
б	license or an employee or agent of a licensee, as defined in
7	s. 561.01, who violates subparagraph 1. while engaged within
8	the scope of his or her employment or agency.
9	Section 2. Section 322.057, Florida Statutes, is
10	created to read:
11	322.057 Discretionary revocation or suspension of
12	driver's license for certain persons who provide alcohol to
13	persons under 21 years of age
14	(1) Notwithstanding s. 322.28, the court may order the
15	department to withhold the issuance of, or suspend or revoke,
16	the driver's license of a person who is found quilty of a
17	violation of s. 562.11(1)(a) for not less than 3 months or
18	more than 6 months for a first violation and for 1 year for
19	any subsequent violation. This subsection does not apply to a
20	licensee who violates s. 562.11(1)(a) while acting within the
21	scope of his or her license or an employee or agent of a
22	licensee who violates s. 562.11(1)(a) while engaged within the
23	scope of his or her employment or agency.
24	(2) The court may direct the department to issue a
25	driver's license restricted to business or employment purposes
26	only, as provided in s. 322.271, to a person who is otherwise
27	gualified for a license.
28	Section 3. This act shall take effect October 1, 2006.
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