

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to regulation of vessels; amending s.
 3 327.60, F.S.; removing restrictions on county and
 4 municipality regulation of certain non-live-aboard vessels
 5 not in navigation; providing an effective date.

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 7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 9 Section 1. Subsections (2) and (3) of section 327.60,
 10 Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

11 327.60 Local regulations; limitations.—

12 (2) Nothing in this chapter or chapter 328 shall be
 13 construed to prevent the adoption of any ordinance or local
 14 regulation relating to operation of vessels, except that a
 15 county or municipality shall not enact, continue in effect, or
 16 enforce any ordinance or local regulation:

17 (a) Establishing a vessel or associated equipment
 18 performance or other safety standard, imposing a requirement for
 19 associated equipment, or regulating the carrying or use of
 20 marine safety articles;

21 (b) Relating to the design, manufacture, installation, or
 22 use of any marine sanitation device on any vessel;

23 (c) Regulating any vessel upon the Florida Intracoastal
 24 Waterway;

25 (d) Discriminating against personal watercraft;

26 (e) Discriminating against airboats, for ordinances
 27 adopted after July 1, 2006, unless adopted by a two-thirds vote
 28 of the governing body enacting such ordinance;

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29 ~~(f) Regulating the anchoring of vessels other than live-~~
30 ~~aboard vessels outside the marked boundaries of mooring fields~~
31 ~~permitted as provided in s. 327.40;~~

32 (f) ~~(g)~~ Regulating engine or exhaust noise, except as
33 provided in s. 327.65; or

34 (g) ~~(h)~~ That conflicts with any provisions of this chapter
35 or any amendments thereto or rules adopted thereunder.

36 (3) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit
37 local governmental authorities from the enactment or enforcement
38 of regulations which prohibit or restrict the mooring or
39 anchoring of floating structures or live-aboard vessels within
40 their jurisdictions or of any vessels within the marked
41 boundaries of mooring fields permitted as provided in s. 327.40.
42 However, local governmental authorities are prohibited from
43 regulating the anchoring outside of such mooring fields of non-
44 live-aboard vessels in navigation ~~vessels other than live-aboard~~
45 ~~vessels as defined in s. 327.02.~~

46 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.