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Senator Bogdanoff moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 287 and 288

insert:

Section 5. (1) It is unlawful for any person to artificially dye or color any rabbit or fowl, including, but not limited to, rabbits, baby chickens, and ducklings, or to bring any dyed or colored rabbit or fowl into this state.

(2) It is unlawful for any person to sell, offer for sale, or give away as merchandising premiums, baby chickens, ducklings, or other fowl under 4 weeks of age or rabbits under 2 months of age to be used as pets, toys, or retail premiums.

(3) This section does not apply to any animal or fowl,



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14 including, but not limited to, rabbits, baby chickens, and  
15 ducklings to be used or raised for agricultural purposes by  
16 persons who have proper facilities to care for them or for  
17 poultry or livestock exhibitions. This section also does not  
18 apply to dogs or cats.

19 (4) Any person who violates this section, upon conviction,  
20 is guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as  
21 provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083, Florida Statutes.

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23 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

24 And the title is amended as follows:

25 Between lines 26 and 27

26 insert:

27 prohibiting a person from artificially dying or  
28 coloring any rabbit or fowl or bringing a dyed or  
29 colored rabbit or fowl into this state; prohibiting a  
30 person from selling, offering for sale, or giving away  
31 baby chickens, ducklings, or other fowl under a  
32 specified age to be used as pets, toys, or retail  
33 premiums; providing applicability; providing  
34 penalties;