

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to the electronic benefit transfer  
 3           program; amending s. 402.82, F.S., relating to the  
 4           dissemination of food assistance benefits, temporary  
 5           cash assistance, and other payments for expenditure by  
 6           recipients using electronic benefit transfer cards;  
 7           prohibiting such cards from being accepted in certain  
 8           locations or for certain activities; providing an  
 9           effective date.

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

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13           Section 1. Subsection (4) is added to section 402.82,  
 14 Florida Statutes, to read:

15           402.82 Electronic benefit transfer program.—

16           (4) Electric benefit transfer cards may not be accepted at  
 17 the following locations or for the following activities:

18           (a) An adult entertainment establishment as defined in s.  
 19 847.001.

20           (b) A pari-mutuel facility, casino, gaming facility, or  
 21 Internet cafe, including gaming activities authorized under part  
 22 II of chapter 285.

23           (c) A commercial bingo facility that is not authorized  
 24 under s. 849.0931.

25           (d) An establishment licensed under the Beverage Law to  
 26 sell distilled spirits containing 6 percent or more alcohol by  
 27 volume as a vendor and that is restricted in the types of  
 28 products that may be sold under ss. 565.04 and 565.045 or a

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29 | bottle club as defined in s. 561.01.

30 |       Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2013.