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1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to electronic benefits transfer cards; 3 amending s. 402.82, F.S.; conforming terminology; 4 proving enforcement authority to the department; 5 restricting the use of electronic benefits transfer 6 cards; providing that an electronic benefits transfer 7 card may not be used or accepted at certain 8 establishments licensed under the Beverage Law, an 9 adult entertainment establishment, a pari-mutuel facility, a slot machine facility, an unauthorized 10 11 commercial bingo facility, a casino, a gaming facility 12 or gambling facility, or any gaming activities authorized under part II of ch. 285, F.S.; providing 13 an effective date. 14 15 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 16 17 Section 1. Section 402.82, Florida Statutes, is amended to 18 19 read: 20 402.82 Electronic benefits benefit transfer program.-The Department of Children and Families Family 21 (1)22 Services shall establish an electronic benefits benefit transfer 23 program for the dissemination of food assistance benefits and 24 temporary cash assistance payments, including refugee cash 25 assistance payments, asylum applicant payments, and child 26 support disregard payments. If the Federal Government does not 27 enact legislation or regulations providing for dissemination of supplemental security income by electronic benefits benefit 28

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29	transfer, the state may include supplemental security income in
30	the electronic <u>benefits</u> benefit transfer program.
31	(2) The department shall, in accordance with applicable
32	federal laws and regulations, develop minimum program
33	requirements and other policy initiatives, including enforcement
34	procedures, for the electronic <u>benefits</u> benefit transfer
35	program.
36	(3) The department shall enter into public-private
37	contracts for all provisions of electronic transfer of public
38	assistance benefits.
39	(4) Use or acceptance of an electronic benefits transfer
40	card is prohibited at the following locations or for the
41	following activities:
42	(a) An establishment licensed under the Beverage Law to
43	sell distilled spirits as a vendor and restricted as to the
44	types of products that can be sold under ss. 565.04 and 565.045
45	or a bottle club as defined in s. 561.01.
46	(b) An adult entertainment establishment as defined in s.
47	847.001.
48	(c) A pari-mutuel facility as defined in s. 550.002.
49	(d) A slot machine facility as defined in s. 551.102.
50	(e) A commercial bingo facility that operates outside the
51	provisions of s. 849.0931.
52	(f) A casino, gaming facility, or gambling facility, or
53	any gaming activities authorized under part II of chapter 285.
54	Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2013.

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