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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
Comm: RCS	.	
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The Committee on Criminal Justice (Bradley) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment

Delete lines 18 - 41

and insert:

775.0862 Sexual offenses against students by authority figures; reclassification.-

(1) For purposes of this section, the term:

(a) "Authority figure" means a person over the age of 18 employed by, volunteering at, or under contract with a school.

(b) "School" has the same meaning as provided in s. 1003.01



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11 and includes a private school as defined in s. 1002.01, a
12 voluntary prekindergarten education program as described in s.
13 1002.53(3), early learning programs, a public school as
14 described in s. 402.3025(1), the Florida School for the Deaf and
15 the Blind, the Florida Virtual School as established under s.
16 1002.37, and a K-8 Virtual School as established under s.
17 1002.415, but does not include facilities dedicated exclusively
18 to the education of adults.

19 (c) "Student" means a person under the age of 18 who is
20 enrolled at a school.

21 (2) The felony degree of a violation of an offense listed
22 in s. 943.0435(1)(a)1.a. shall be, unless the offense is a
23 violation of s. 794.011(4)(g) or s. 810.145(8)(a)2.,
24 reclassified as provided in this section if the offense is
25 committed by an authority figure of a school against a student
26 of the school.