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1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to the Village of Wellington, Palm 3 Beach County; providing an exception to general law; 4 prohibiting the sale and use of fireworks located 5 within the Equestrian Preserve of the Village of 6 Wellington except under specified circumstances; 7 providing applicability; providing an effective date. 8 9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 10 Notwithstanding ss. 791.001 and 791.08, Florida 11 Section 1. 12 Statutes, the sale and use of fireworks within the Equestrian 13 Preserve of the Village of Wellington are prohibited on all days of the year except for the following: 14 (1) Supervised public displays within the jurisdictional 15 16 boundaries of Wellington where such displays are handled by a 17 competent operator to be approved by the chiefs of the police 18 and fire departments of Wellington, and shall be of such a 19 character, and so located, discharged, or fired as in the 20 opinion of the chief of the fire department, after proper 21 inspection, shall not be hazardous to property or endanger any 22 person. Application for permits shall be made in writing at least 15 days in advance of the date of the display. After such 23 privilege shall have been granted, sales, possession, use, and 24 25 distribution of fireworks for such display shall be lawful for

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26	that purpose only. No permit granted hereunder shall be
27	transferable.
28	(2) Nothing herein is intended or shall prevent the
29	importation, purchase, sale, or use of fireworks for
30	agricultural purposes in s. 791.07, Florida Statutes.
31	Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law
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