

HB441

2023

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to removal of unknown parties in
 3 possession; amending s. 48.184, F.S.; revising
 4 requirements for service on unknown parties in
 5 possession; providing an effective date.

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

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 9 Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 48.184, Florida
 10 Statutes, is amended to read:

11 48.184 Service of process for removal of unknown parties
 12 in possession.—

13 (2) A summons must be issued in the name of "Unknown
 14 Parties Party in Possession" when the name of an occupant or
 15 occupants of real property is not known to the plaintiff and the
 16 property occupied by the unknown parties party is identified in
 17 the complaint and summons. ~~A separate summons must be issued for~~
 18 ~~each such unknown occupant.~~

19 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2023.