

1                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to operating vehicles and vessels;  
 3           amending s. 316.003, F.S.; revising the definition of  
 4           "vehicle"; amending s. 316.183, F.S.; providing that a  
 5           person may not drive on a street at an unlawful speed;  
 6           creating s. 316.88, F.S.; prohibiting operation of a  
 7           motor vehicle, vessel, or other conveyance at a speed  
 8           that creates an excessive wake; providing an effective  
 9           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 (109) of section 316.003, Florida**  
 14 **Statutes, is amended to read:**

15           316.003 Definitions.—The following words and phrases, when  
 16           used in this chapter, shall have the meanings respectively  
 17           ascribed to them in this section, except where the context  
 18           otherwise requires:

19           (109) VEHICLE.—Every device in, upon, or by which any  
 20           person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a  
 21           street or highway, except personal delivery devices, mobile  
 22           carriers, and devices used exclusively upon stationary rails or  
 23           tracks.

24           **Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 316.183, Florida**  
 25 **Statutes, is amended to read:**

26 |           316.183 Unlawful speed.—

27 |           (1) No person shall drive a vehicle on a street or highway  
 28 | at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under the  
 29 | conditions and having regard to the actual and potential hazards  
 30 | then existing. In every event, speed shall be controlled as may  
 31 | be necessary to avoid colliding with any person, vehicle, or  
 32 | other conveyance or object on or entering the street or highway  
 33 | in compliance with legal requirements and the duty of all  
 34 | persons to use due care.

35 |           **Section 3. Section 316.88, Florida Statutes, is created to**  
 36 | **read:**

37 |           316.88 Creation of a wake on streets or highways.—A person  
 38 | may not operate a motor vehicle, vessel, or any other conveyance  
 39 | at a speed that creates an excessive wake on a flooded or  
 40 | inundated street or highway.

41 |           **Section 4.** This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.