

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to assault or battery on a utility
 3 worker; amending s. 784.07, F.S.; defining the term
 4 "utility worker"; providing for reclassification of
 5 certain offenses committed against a utility worker;
 6 amending ss. 901.15, 921.0022, 943.051, 985.11, and
 7 985.644, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made
 8 by the act; providing an effective date.

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

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 12 **Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 784.07, Florida**
 13 **Statutes, is amended, and paragraph (h) is added to subsection**
 14 **(1) of that section, to read:**

15 784.07 Assault or battery of law enforcement officers and
 16 other specified personnel; reclassification of offenses; minimum
 17 sentences.—

18 (1) As used in this section, the term:

19 (h) "Utility worker" means a person who bears at least one
 20 patch, emblem, organizational identification, or other clear
 21 marking intended to be plainly visible and that identifies the
 22 employing or contracting utility and that clearly identifies the
 23 person as a utility worker under contract with or employed by an
 24 entity that owns, operates, leases, or controls a plant,
 25 property, or facility for the generation, transmission,

26 | distribution of, or furnishing to or for the public of
27 | electricity, natural or manufactured gas, water, wastewater,
28 | telephone, or communications service, including two or more
29 | utilities rendering joint service.

30 | (2) Whenever any person is charged with knowingly
31 | committing an assault or battery upon a law enforcement officer,
32 | a firefighter, an emergency medical care provider, hospital
33 | personnel, a railroad special officer, a traffic accident
34 | investigation officer as described in s. 316.640, a nonsworn law
35 | enforcement agency employee who is certified as an agency
36 | inspector, a blood alcohol analyst, or a breath test operator
37 | while such employee is in uniform and engaged in processing,
38 | testing, evaluating, analyzing, or transporting a person who is
39 | detained or under arrest for DUI, a law enforcement explorer, a
40 | traffic infraction enforcement officer as described in s.
41 | 316.640, a parking enforcement specialist as defined in s.
42 | 316.640, a person licensed as a security officer as defined in
43 | s. 493.6101 and wearing a uniform that bears at least one patch
44 | or emblem that is visible at all times that clearly identifies
45 | the employing agency and that clearly identifies the person as a
46 | licensed security officer, ~~or~~ a security officer employed by the
47 | board of trustees of a community college, or a utility worker
48 | while the officer, firefighter, emergency medical care provider,
49 | hospital personnel, railroad special officer, traffic accident
50 | investigation officer, traffic infraction enforcement officer,

51 | inspector, analyst, operator, law enforcement explorer, parking
52 | enforcement specialist, public transit employee or agent, ~~or~~
53 | security officer, or utility worker is engaged in the lawful
54 | performance of his or her duties, the offense for which the
55 | person is charged shall be reclassified as follows:

56 | (a) In the case of assault, from a misdemeanor of the
57 | second degree to a misdemeanor of the first degree.

58 | (b) In the case of battery, from a misdemeanor of the
59 | first degree to a felony of the third degree. Notwithstanding
60 | any other provision of law, a person convicted of battery upon a
61 | law enforcement officer committed in furtherance of a riot or an
62 | aggravated riot prohibited under s. 870.01 shall be sentenced to
63 | a minimum term of imprisonment of 6 months.

64 | (c) In the case of aggravated assault, from a felony of
65 | the third degree to a felony of the second degree.
66 | Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any person convicted
67 | of aggravated assault upon a law enforcement officer shall be
68 | sentenced to a minimum term of imprisonment of 3 years.

69 | (d) In the case of aggravated battery, from a felony of
70 | the second degree to a felony of the first degree.
71 | Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any person convicted
72 | of aggravated battery of a law enforcement officer shall be
73 | sentenced to a minimum term of imprisonment of 5 years.

74 | **Section 2. Subsection (15) of section 901.15, Florida**
75 | **Statutes, is amended to read:**

76 901.15 When arrest by officer without warrant is lawful.—A
 77 law enforcement officer may arrest a person without a warrant
 78 when:

79 (15) There is probable cause to believe that the person
 80 has committed assault upon a law enforcement officer, a
 81 firefighter, an emergency medical care provider, public transit
 82 employees or agents, or other specified persons ~~officers~~ as set
 83 forth in s. 784.07 or has committed assault or battery upon any
 84 employee of a receiving facility as defined in s. 394.455 who is
 85 engaged in the lawful performance of his or her duties.

86 **Section 3. Paragraphs (d), (f), and (g) of subsection (3)**
 87 **of section 921.0022, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:**

88 921.0022 Criminal Punishment Code; offense severity
 89 ranking chart.—

90 (3) OFFENSE SEVERITY RANKING CHART

91 (d) LEVEL 4

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Florida Statute	Felony Degree	Description
316.1935 (3) (a)	2nd	Driving at high speed or with wanton disregard for safety while fleeing or attempting to elude law enforcement officer who is in a patrol vehicle with

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siren and lights activated.

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499.0051 (1) 3rd Failure to maintain or deliver transaction history, transaction information, or transaction statements.

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499.0051 (5) 2nd Knowing sale or delivery, or possession with intent to sell, contraband prescription drugs.

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517.07 (1) 3rd Failure to register securities.

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517.12 (1) 3rd Failure of dealer or associated person of a dealer of securities to register.

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784.031 3rd Battery by strangulation.

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784.07 (2) (b) 3rd Battery of law enforcement officer, utility worker, firefighter, etc.

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784.074 (1) (c) 3rd Battery of sexually violent predators facility staff.

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101	784.075	3rd	Battery on detention or commitment facility staff.
102	784.078	3rd	Battery of facility employee by throwing, tossing, or expelling certain fluids or materials.
103	784.08 (2) (c)	3rd	Battery on a person 65 years of age or older.
104	784.081 (3)	3rd	Battery on specified official or employee.
105	784.082 (3)	3rd	Battery by detained person on visitor or other detainee.
106	784.083 (3)	3rd	Battery on code inspector.
107	784.085	3rd	Battery of child by throwing, tossing, projecting, or expelling certain fluids or materials.
108	787.03 (1)	3rd	Interference with custody;

wrongly takes minor from
appointed guardian.

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787.04 (2) 3rd Take, entice, or remove child
beyond state limits with
criminal intent pending custody
proceedings.

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787.04 (3) 3rd Carrying child beyond state
lines with criminal intent to
avoid producing child at
custody hearing or delivering
to designated person.

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787.07 3rd Human smuggling.

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790.115 (1) 3rd Exhibiting firearm or weapon
within 1,000 feet of a school.

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790.115 (2) (b) 3rd Possessing electric weapon or
device, destructive device, or
other weapon on school
property.

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790.115 (2) (c) 3rd Possessing firearm on school

property.

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794.051 (1) 3rd Indecent, lewd, or lascivious touching of certain minors.

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800.04 (7) (c) 3rd Lewd or lascivious exhibition; offender less than 18 years.

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806.135 2nd Destroying or demolishing a memorial or historic property.

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810.02 (4) (a) 3rd Burglary, or attempted burglary, of an unoccupied structure; unarmed; no assault or battery.

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810.02 (4) (b) 3rd Burglary, or attempted burglary, of an unoccupied conveyance; unarmed; no assault or battery.

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810.06 3rd Burglary; possession of tools.

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810.08 (2) (c) 3rd Trespass on property, armed with firearm or dangerous

weapon.

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810.145 (3) (b) 3rd Digital voyeurism
dissemination.

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812.014 (2) (c) 3. 3rd Grand theft, 3rd degree \$10,000
or more but less than \$20,000.

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812.014 3rd Grand theft, 3rd degree;
(2) (c) 4. & specified items.
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812.014 (2) (d) 2. 3rd Grand theft, 3rd degree; \$750
or more taken from dwelling or
its unenclosed curtilage.

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812.014 (2) (e) 3. 3rd Petit theft, 1st degree; less
than \$40 taken from dwelling or
its unenclosed curtilage with
two or more prior theft
convictions.

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812.0195 (2) 3rd Dealing in stolen property by
use of the Internet; property
stolen \$300 or more.

128	817.505 (4) (a)	3rd	Patient brokering.
129	817.563 (1)	3rd	Sell or deliver substance other than controlled substance agreed upon, excluding s. 893.03(5) drugs.
130	817.568 (2) (a)	3rd	Fraudulent use of personal identification information.
131	817.5695 (3) (c)	3rd	Exploitation of person 65 years of age or older, value less than \$10,000.
132	817.625 (2) (a)	3rd	Fraudulent use of scanning device, skimming device, or reencoder.
133	817.625 (2) (c)	3rd	Possess, sell, or deliver skimming device.
134	828.125 (1)	2nd	Kill, maim, or cause great bodily harm or permanent breeding disability to any

registered horse or cattle.

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836.14 (2) 3rd Person who commits theft of a sexually explicit image with intent to promote it.

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836.14 (3) 3rd Person who willfully possesses a sexually explicit image with certain knowledge, intent, and purpose.

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837.02 (1) 3rd Perjury in official proceedings.

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837.021 (1) 3rd Make contradictory statements in official proceedings.

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838.022 3rd Official misconduct.

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839.13 (2) (a) 3rd Falsifying records of an individual in the care and custody of a state agency.

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839.13 (2) (c) 3rd Falsifying records of the Department of Children and

Families.

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843.021 3rd Possession of a concealed
handcuff key by a person in
custody.

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843.025 3rd Deprive law enforcement,
correctional, or correctional
probation officer of means of
protection or communication.

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843.15(1)(a) 3rd Failure to appear while on bail
for felony (bond estreature or
bond jumping).

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843.19(2) 2nd Injure, disable, or kill
police, fire, or SAR canine or
police horse.

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847.0135(5)(c) 3rd Lewd or lascivious exhibition
using computer; offender less
than 18 years.

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870.01(3) 2nd Aggravated rioting.

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149	870.01 (5)	2nd	Aggravated inciting a riot.
150	874.05 (1) (a)	3rd	Encouraging or recruiting another to join a criminal gang.
151	893.13 (2) (a) 1.	2nd	Purchase of cocaine (or other s. 893.03(1) (a), (b), or (d), (2) (a), (2) (b), or (2) (c) 5. drugs).
152	914.14 (2)	3rd	Witnesses accepting bribes.
153	914.22 (1)	3rd	Force, threaten, etc., witness, victim, or informant.
154	914.23 (2)	3rd	Retaliation against a witness, victim, or informant, no bodily injury.
155	916.1085 (2) (c) 1.	3rd	Introduction of specified contraband into certain DCF facilities.
	918.12	3rd	Tampering with jurors.

156	934.215	3rd	Use of two-way communications device to facilitate commission of a crime.
157	944.47(1)(a)6.	3rd	Introduction of contraband (cellular telephone or other portable communication device) into correctional institution.
158	951.22(1)(h), (j) & (k)	3rd	Intoxicating drug, instrumentality or other device to aid escape, or cellular telephone or other portable communication device introduced into county detention facility.
159	(f) LEVEL 6		
160	Florida	Felony	
161	Statute	Degree	Description
162	316.027(2)(b)	2nd	Leaving the scene of a crash involving serious bodily injury.

163	316.193 (2) (b)	3rd	Felony DUI, 4th or subsequent conviction.
164	400.9935 (4) (c)	2nd	Operating a clinic, or offering services requiring licensure, without a license.
165	499.0051 (2)	2nd	Knowing forgery of transaction history, transaction information, or transaction statement.
166	499.0051 (3)	2nd	Knowing purchase or receipt of prescription drug from unauthorized person.
167	499.0051 (4)	2nd	Knowing sale or transfer of prescription drug to unauthorized person.
168	775.0875 (1)	3rd	Taking firearm from law enforcement officer.
169	784.021 (1) (a)	3rd	Aggravated assault; deadly

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weapon without intent to kill.

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784.021 (1) (b) 3rd Aggravated assault; intent to
commit felony.

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784.041 3rd Felony battery; domestic
battery by strangulation.

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784.048 (3) 3rd Aggravated stalking; credible
threat.

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784.048 (5) 3rd Aggravated stalking of person
under 16.

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784.07 (2) (c) 2nd Aggravated assault on law
enforcement officer, utility
worker, firefighter, etc.

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784.074 (1) (b) 2nd Aggravated assault on sexually
violent predators facility
staff.

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784.08 (2) (b) 2nd Aggravated assault on a person
65 years of age or older.

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178	784.081 (2)	2nd	Aggravated assault on specified official or employee.
179	784.082 (2)	2nd	Aggravated assault by detained person on visitor or other detainee.
180	784.083 (2)	2nd	Aggravated assault on code inspector.
181	787.02 (2)	3rd	False imprisonment; restraining with purpose other than those in s. 787.01.
182	790.115 (2) (d)	2nd	Discharging firearm or weapon on school property.
183	790.161 (2)	2nd	Make, possess, or throw destructive device with intent to do bodily harm or damage property.
	790.164 (1)	2nd	False report concerning bomb, explosive, weapon of mass destruction, act of arson or

violence to state property, or
 use of firearms in violent
 manner.

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790.19 2nd Shooting or throwing deadly
 missiles into dwellings,
 vessels, or vehicles.

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794.011 (8) (a) 3rd Solicitation of minor to
 participate in sexual activity
 by custodial adult.

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794.05 (1) 2nd Unlawful sexual activity with
 specified minor.

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800.04 (5) (d) 3rd Lewd or lascivious molestation;
 victim 12 years of age or older
 but less than 16 years of age;
 offender less than 18 years.

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800.04 (6) (b) 2nd Lewd or lascivious conduct;
 offender 18 years of age or
 older.

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806.031 (2) 2nd Arson resulting in great bodily

harm to firefighter or any
other person.

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810.02 (3) (c) 2nd Burglary of occupied structure;
unarmed; no assault or battery.

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810.145 (8) (b) 2nd Digital voyeurism; certain
minor victims; 2nd or
subsequent offense.

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812.014 (2) (b) 1. 2nd Property stolen \$20,000 or
more, but less than \$100,000,
grand theft in 2nd degree.

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812.014 (2) (c) 5. 3rd Grand theft; third degree;
firearm.

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812.014 (6) 2nd Theft; property stolen \$3,000
or more; coordination of
others.

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812.015 (9) (a) 2nd Retail theft; property stolen
\$750 or more; second or
subsequent conviction.

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197	812.015 (9) (b)	2nd	Retail theft; aggregated property stolen within 120 days is \$3,000 or more; coordination of others.
198	812.015 (9) (d)	2nd	Retail theft; multiple thefts within specified period.
199	812.015 (9) (e)	2nd	Retail theft; committed with specified number of other persons and use of social media platform.
200	812.13 (2) (c)	2nd	Robbery, no firearm or other weapon (strong-arm robbery).
201	817.4821 (5)	2nd	Possess cloning paraphernalia with intent to create cloned cellular telephones.
202	817.49 (2) (b) 2.	2nd	Willful making of a false report of a crime resulting in death.
	817.505 (4) (b)	2nd	Patient brokering; 10 or more

patients.

203	817.5695 (3) (b)	2nd	Exploitation of person 65 years of age or older, value \$10,000 or more, but less than \$50,000.
204	825.102 (1)	3rd	Abuse of an elderly person or disabled adult.
205	825.102 (3) (c)	3rd	Neglect of an elderly person or disabled adult.
206	825.1025 (3)	3rd	Lewd or lascivious molestation of an elderly person or disabled adult.
207	825.103 (3) (c)	3rd	Exploiting an elderly person or disabled adult and property is valued at less than \$10,000.
208	827.03 (2) (c)	3rd	Abuse of a child.
209	827.03 (2) (d)	3rd	Neglect of a child.
210	827.071 (5)	3rd	Possess, control, or

intentionally view any
 photographic material, motion
 picture, etc., which includes
 child pornography.

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828.126(3) 3rd Sexual activities involving
 animals.

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836.05 2nd Threats; extortion.

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836.10 2nd Written or electronic threats
 to kill, do bodily injury, or
 conduct a mass shooting or an
 act of terrorism.

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843.12 3rd Aids or assists person to
 escape.

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847.011 3rd Distributing, offering to
 distribute, or possessing with
 intent to distribute obscene
 materials depicting minors.

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847.012 3rd Knowingly using a minor in the
 production of materials harmful

to minors.

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847.0135 (2)

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Facilitates sexual conduct of
or with a minor or the visual
depiction of such conduct.

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893.131

2nd

Distribution of controlled
substances resulting in
overdose or serious bodily
injury.

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914.23

2nd

Retaliation against a witness,
victim, or informant, with
bodily injury.

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918.13 (2) (b)

2nd

Tampering with or fabricating
physical evidence relating to a
capital felony.

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944.35 (3) (a) 2.

3rd

Committing malicious battery
upon or inflicting cruel or
inhuman treatment on an inmate
or offender on community
supervision, resulting in great
bodily harm.

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222	944.40	2nd	Escapes.
223	944.46	3rd	Harboring, concealing, aiding escaped prisoners.
224	944.47 (1) (a) 5.	2nd	Introduction of contraband (firearm, weapon, or explosive) into correctional facility.
225	951.22 (1) (i)	3rd	Firearm or weapon introduced into county detention facility.
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227	(g) LEVEL 7		
228	Florida	Felony	
	Statute	Degree	Description
229	316.027 (2) (c)	1st	Accident involving death, failure to stop; leaving scene.
230	316.193 (3) (c) 2.	3rd	DUI resulting in serious bodily injury.
231	316.1935 (3) (b)	1st	Causing serious bodily injury

or death to another person;
 driving at high speed or with
 wanton disregard for safety
 while fleeing or attempting to
 elude law enforcement officer
 who is in a patrol vehicle with
 siren and lights activated.

232 327.35 (3) (c) 2. 3rd Vessel BUI resulting in serious
 bodily injury.

233 402.319 (2) 2nd Misrepresentation and
 negligence or intentional act
 resulting in great bodily harm,
 permanent disfiguration,
 permanent disability, or death.

234 409.920 3rd Medicaid provider fraud;
 (2) (b) 1.a. \$10,000 or less.

235 409.920 2nd Medicaid provider fraud; more
 (2) (b) 1.b. than \$10,000, but less than
 \$50,000.

236 456.065 (2) 3rd Practicing a health care

profession without a license.

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456.065 (2) 2nd Practicing a health care profession without a license which results in serious bodily injury.

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458.327 (1) 3rd Practicing medicine without a license.

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459.013 (1) 3rd Practicing osteopathic medicine without a license.

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460.411 (1) 3rd Practicing chiropractic medicine without a license.

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461.012 (1) 3rd Practicing podiatric medicine without a license.

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462.17 3rd Practicing naturopathy without a license.

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463.015 (1) 3rd Practicing optometry without a license.

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245	464.016 (1)	3rd	Practicing nursing without a license.
246	465.015 (2)	3rd	Practicing pharmacy without a license.
247	466.026 (1)	3rd	Practicing dentistry or dental hygiene without a license.
248	467.201	3rd	Practicing midwifery without a license.
249	468.366	3rd	Delivering respiratory care services without a license.
250	483.828 (1)	3rd	Practicing as clinical laboratory personnel without a license.
251	483.901 (7)	3rd	Practicing medical physics without a license.
252	484.013 (1) (c)	3rd	Preparing or dispensing optical devices without a prescription.

253	484.053	3rd	Dispensing hearing aids without a license.
254	494.0018(2)	1st	Conviction of any violation of chapter 494 in which the total money and property unlawfully obtained exceeded \$50,000 and there were five or more victims.
255	560.123(8)(b)1.	3rd	Failure to report currency or payment instruments exceeding \$300 but less than \$20,000 by a money services business.
256	560.125(5)(a)	3rd	Money services business by unauthorized person, currency or payment instruments exceeding \$300 but less than \$20,000.
256	655.50(10)(b)1.	3rd	Failure to report financial transactions exceeding \$300 but less than \$20,000 by financial institution.

257	775.21(10)(a)	3rd	Sexual predator; failure to register; failure to renew driver license or identification card; other registration violations.
258	775.21(10)(b)	3rd	Sexual predator working where children regularly congregate.
259	775.21(10)(g)	3rd	Failure to report or providing false information about a sexual predator; harbor or conceal a sexual predator.
260	782.051(3)	2nd	Attempted felony murder of a person by a person other than the perpetrator or the perpetrator of an attempted felony.
261	782.07(1)	2nd	Killing of a human being by the act, procurement, or culpable negligence of another (manslaughter).

262	782.071	2nd	Killing of a human being or unborn child by the operation of a motor vehicle in a reckless manner (vehicular homicide).
263	782.072	2nd	Killing of a human being by the operation of a vessel in a reckless manner (vessel homicide).
264	784.045 (1) (a) 1.	2nd	Aggravated battery; intentionally causing great bodily harm or disfigurement.
265	784.045 (1) (a) 2.	2nd	Aggravated battery; using deadly weapon.
266	784.045 (1) (b)	2nd	Aggravated battery; perpetrator aware victim pregnant.
267	784.048 (4)	3rd	Aggravated stalking; violation of injunction or court order.
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269	784.048 (7)	3rd	Aggravated stalking; violation of court order.
270	784.07 (2) (d)	1st	Aggravated battery on law enforcement officer, <u>utility worker, firefighter, etc.</u>
271	784.074 (1) (a)	1st	Aggravated battery on sexually violent predators facility staff.
272	784.08 (2) (a)	1st	Aggravated battery on a person 65 years of age or older.
273	784.081 (1)	1st	Aggravated battery on specified official or employee.
274	784.082 (1)	1st	Aggravated battery by detained person on visitor or other detainee.
275	784.083 (1)	1st	Aggravated battery on code inspector.
	787.06 (3) (a) 2.	1st	Human trafficking using

coercion for labor and services
of an adult.

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787.06(3)(e)2. 1st Human trafficking using
coercion for labor and services
by the transfer or transport of
an adult from outside Florida
to within the state.

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790.07(4) 1st Specified weapons violation
subsequent to previous
conviction of s. 790.07(1) or
(2).

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790.16(1) 1st Discharge of a machine gun
under specified circumstances.

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790.165(2) 2nd Manufacture, sell, possess, or
deliver hoax bomb.

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790.165(3) 2nd Possessing, displaying, or
threatening to use any hoax
bomb while committing or
attempting to commit a felony.

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282	790.166(3)	2nd	Possessing, selling, using, or attempting to use a hoax weapon of mass destruction.
283	790.166(4)	2nd	Possessing, displaying, or threatening to use a hoax weapon of mass destruction while committing or attempting to commit a felony.
284	790.23	1st,PBL	Possession of a firearm by a person who qualifies for the penalty enhancements provided for in s. 874.04.
285	794.08(4)	3rd	Female genital mutilation; consent by a parent, guardian, or a person in custodial authority to a victim younger than 18 years of age.
286	796.05(1)	1st	Live on earnings of a prostitute; 2nd offense.
	796.05(1)	1st	Live on earnings of a

prostitute; 3rd and subsequent offense.

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800.04 (5) (c) 1. 2nd Lewd or lascivious molestation; victim younger than 12 years of age; offender younger than 18 years of age.

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800.04 (5) (c) 2. 2nd Lewd or lascivious molestation; victim 12 years of age or older but younger than 16 years of age; offender 18 years of age or older.

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800.04 (5) (e) 1st Lewd or lascivious molestation; victim 12 years of age or older but younger than 16 years; offender 18 years or older; prior conviction for specified sex offense.

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806.01 (2) 2nd Maliciously damage structure by fire or explosive.

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810.02 (3) (a) 2nd Burglary of occupied dwelling;

unarmed; no assault or battery.

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810.02 (3) (b) 2nd Burglary of unoccupied dwelling; unarmed; no assault or battery.

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810.02 (3) (d) 2nd Burglary of occupied conveyance; unarmed; no assault or battery.

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810.02 (3) (e) 2nd Burglary of authorized emergency vehicle.

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812.014 (2) (a) 1. 1st Property stolen, valued at \$100,000 or more or a semitrailer deployed by a law enforcement officer; property stolen while causing other property damage; 1st degree grand theft.

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812.014 (2) (b) 2. 2nd Property stolen, cargo valued at less than \$50,000, grand theft in 2nd degree.

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298	812.014 (2) (b) 3.	2nd	Property stolen, emergency medical equipment; 2nd degree grand theft.
299	812.014 (2) (b) 4.	2nd	Property stolen, law enforcement equipment from authorized emergency vehicle.
300	812.014 (2) (g)	2nd	Grand theft; second degree; firearm with previous conviction of s. 812.014(2)(c)5.
301	812.0145 (2) (a)	1st	Theft from person 65 years of age or older; \$50,000 or more.
302	812.019 (2)	1st	Stolen property; initiates, organizes, plans, etc., the theft of property and traffics in stolen property.
303	812.131 (2) (a)	2nd	Robbery by sudden snatching.
	812.133 (2) (b)	1st	Carjacking; no firearm, deadly weapon, or other weapon.

304	817.034 (4) (a) 1.	1st	Communications fraud, value greater than \$50,000.
305	817.234 (8) (a)	2nd	Solicitation of motor vehicle accident victims with intent to defraud.
306	817.234 (9)	2nd	Organizing, planning, or participating in an intentional motor vehicle collision.
307	817.234 (11) (c)	1st	Insurance fraud; property value \$100,000 or more.
308	817.2341 (2) (b) & (3) (b)	1st	Making false entries of material fact or false statements regarding property values relating to the solvency of an insuring entity which are a significant cause of the insolvency of that entity.
309	817.418 (2) (a)	3rd	Offering for sale or advertising personal protective

equipment with intent to
defraud.

310 817.504 (1) (a) 3rd Offering or advertising a
vaccine with intent to defraud.

311 817.535 (2) (a) 3rd Filing false lien or other
unauthorized document.

312 817.611 (2) (b) 2nd Traffic in or possess 15 to 49
counterfeit credit cards or
related documents.

313 825.102 (3) (b) 2nd Neglecting an elderly person or
disabled adult causing great
bodily harm, disability, or
disfigurement.

314 825.103 (3) (b) 2nd Exploiting an elderly person or
disabled adult and property is
valued at \$10,000 or more, but
less than \$50,000.

315 827.03 (2) (b) 2nd Neglect of a child causing
great bodily harm, disability,

or disfigurement.

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827.04(3) 3rd Impregnation of a child under
16 years of age by person 21
years of age or older.

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827.071(2) & (3) 2nd Use or induce a child in a
sexual performance, or promote
or direct such performance.

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827.071(4) 2nd Possess with intent to promote
any photographic material,
motion picture, etc., which
includes child pornography.

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837.05(2) 3rd Giving false information about
alleged capital felony to a law
enforcement officer.

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838.015 2nd Bribery.

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838.016 2nd Unlawful compensation or reward
for official behavior.

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838.021(3)(a) 2nd Unlawful harm to a public

servant.

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838.22 2nd Bid tampering.

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843.0855 (2) 3rd Impersonation of a public officer or employee.

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843.0855 (3) 3rd Unlawful simulation of legal process.

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843.0855 (4) 3rd Intimidation of a public officer or employee.

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847.0135 (3) 3rd Solicitation of a child, via a computer service, to commit an unlawful sex act.

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847.0135 (4) 2nd Traveling to meet a minor to commit an unlawful sex act.

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872.06 2nd Abuse of a dead human body.

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874.05 (2) (b) 1st Encouraging or recruiting person under 13 to join a criminal gang; second or

subsequent offense.

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874.10 1st, PBL Knowingly initiates, organizes, plans, finances, directs, manages, or supervises criminal gang-related activity.

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893.13(1)(c)1. 1st Sell, manufacture, or deliver cocaine (or other drug prohibited under s. 893.03(1)(a), (1)(b), (1)(d), (2)(a), (2)(b), or (2)(c)5.) within 1,000 feet of a child care facility, school, or state, county, or municipal park or publicly owned recreational facility or community center.

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893.13(1)(e)1. 1st Sell, manufacture, or deliver cocaine or other drug prohibited under s. 893.03(1)(a), (1)(b), (1)(d), (2)(a), (2)(b), or (2)(c)5., within 1,000 feet of property

used for religious services or
a specified business site.

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893.13(4)(a) 1st Use or hire of minor; deliver
to minor other controlled
substance.

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893.135(1)(a)1. 1st Trafficking in cannabis, more
than 25 lbs., less than 2,000
lbs.

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893.135 1st Trafficking in cocaine, more
(1)(b)1.a. than 28 grams, less than 200
grams.

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893.135 1st Trafficking in illegal drugs,
(1)(c)1.a. more than 4 grams, less than 14
grams.

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893.135 1st Trafficking in hydrocodone, 28
(1)(c)2.a. grams or more, less than 50
grams.

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893.135 1st Trafficking in hydrocodone, 50
(1)(c)2.b. grams or more, less than 100

grams.

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893.135 1st Trafficking in oxycodone, 7
 (1) (c) 3.a. grams or more, less than 14
 grams.

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893.135 1st Trafficking in oxycodone, 14
 (1) (c) 3.b. grams or more, less than 25
 grams.

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893.135 1st Trafficking in fentanyl, 4
 (1) (c) 4.b. (I) grams or more, less than 14
 grams.

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893.135 1st Trafficking in phencyclidine,
 (1) (d) 1.a. 28 grams or more, less than 200
 grams.

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893.135 (1) (e) 1. 1st Trafficking in methaqualone,
 200 grams or more, less than 5
 kilograms.

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893.135 (1) (f) 1. 1st Trafficking in amphetamine, 14
 grams or more, less than 28
 grams.

346	893.135 (1) (g) 1.a.	1st	Trafficking in flunitrazepam, 4 grams or more, less than 14 grams.
347	893.135 (1) (h) 1.a.	1st	Trafficking in gamma-hydroxybutyric acid (GHB), 1 kilogram or more, less than 5 kilograms.
348	893.135 (1) (j) 1.a.	1st	Trafficking in 1,4-Butanediol, 1 kilogram or more, less than 5 kilograms.
349	893.135 (1) (k) 2.a.	1st	Trafficking in Phenethylamines, 10 grams or more, less than 200 grams.
350	893.135 (1) (m) 2.a.	1st	Trafficking in synthetic cannabinoids, 280 grams or more, less than 500 grams.
351	893.135 (1) (m) 2.b.	1st	Trafficking in synthetic cannabinoids, 500 grams or more, less than 1,000 grams.

352	893.135 (1) (n) 2.a.	1st	Trafficking in n-benzyl phenethylamines, 14 grams or more, less than 100 grams.
353	893.1351 (2)	2nd	Possession of place for trafficking in or manufacturing of controlled substance.
354	896.101 (5) (a)	3rd	Money laundering, financial transactions exceeding \$300 but less than \$20,000.
355	896.104 (4) (a) 1.	3rd	Structuring transactions to evade reporting or registration requirements, financial transactions exceeding \$300 but less than \$20,000.
356	943.0435 (4) (c)	2nd	Sexual offender vacating permanent residence; failure to comply with reporting requirements.
357	943.0435 (8)	2nd	Sexual offender; remains in

state after indicating intent to leave; failure to comply with reporting requirements.

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943.0435 (9) (a) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to comply with reporting requirements.

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943.0435 (13) 3rd Failure to report or providing false information about a sexual offender; harbor or conceal a sexual offender.

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943.0435 (14) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to report and reregister; failure to respond to address verification; providing false registration information.

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944.607 (9) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to comply with reporting requirements.

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944.607 (10) (a) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to submit to the taking of a

digitized photograph.

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944.607(12) 3rd Failure to report or providing false information about a sexual offender; harbor or conceal a sexual offender.

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944.607(13) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to report and reregister; failure to respond to address verification; providing false registration information.

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985.4815(10) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to submit to the taking of a digitized photograph.

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985.4815(12) 3rd Failure to report or providing false information about a sexual offender; harbor or conceal a sexual offender.

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985.4815(13) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to report and reregister; failure to respond to address

verification; providing false
 registration information.

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**Section 4. Paragraph (b) of subsection (3) of section
 943.051, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:**

943.051 Criminal justice information; collection and
 storage; fingerprinting.—

(3)

(b) A minor who is charged with or found to have committed
 the following offenses shall be fingerprinted and the
 fingerprints shall be submitted electronically to the
 department, unless the minor is issued a prearrest delinquency
 citation pursuant to s. 985.12:

1. Assault, as defined in s. 784.011.
2. Battery, as defined in s. 784.03.
3. Carrying a concealed weapon, as defined in s.
 790.01(2).
4. Unlawful use of destructive devices or bombs, as
 defined in s. 790.1615(1).
5. Neglect of a child, as defined in s. 827.03(1)(e).
6. Assault or battery on a law enforcement officer, a
 firefighter, or other specified persons ~~officers~~, as provided
~~defined~~ in s. 784.07 ~~784.07(2)(a) and (b)~~.
7. Open carrying of a weapon, as defined in s. 790.053.
8. Exposure of sexual organs, as defined in s. 800.03.

391 9. Unlawful possession of a firearm, as defined in s.
392 790.22(5).

393 10. Petit theft, as defined in s. 812.014(3).

394 11. Cruelty to animals, as defined in s. 828.12(1).

395 12. Arson, as defined in s. 806.031(1).

396 13. Unlawful possession or discharge of a weapon or
397 firearm at a school-sponsored event or on school property, as
398 provided in s. 790.115.

399 **Section 5. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section**
400 **985.11, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:**

401 985.11 Fingerprinting and photographing.—

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403 (b) Unless the child is issued a prearrest delinquency
404 citation pursuant to s. 985.12, a child who is charged with or
405 found to have committed one of the following offenses shall be
406 fingerprinted, and the fingerprints shall be submitted to the
407 Department of Law Enforcement as provided in s. 943.051(3)(b):

408 1. Assault, as defined in s. 784.011.

409 2. Battery, as defined in s. 784.03.

410 3. Carrying a concealed weapon, as defined in s.
411 790.01(2).

412 4. Unlawful use of destructive devices or bombs, as
413 defined in s. 790.1615(1).

414 5. Neglect of a child, as defined in s. 827.03(1)(e).

415 6. Assault on a law enforcement officer, a firefighter, or

416 other specified persons ~~officers~~, as defined in s. 784.07
417 ~~784.07(2)(a)~~.

418 7. Open carrying of a weapon, as defined in s. 790.053.

419 8. Exposure of sexual organs, as defined in s. 800.03.

420 9. Unlawful possession of a firearm, as defined in s.
421 790.22(5).

422 10. Petit theft, as defined in s. 812.014.

423 11. Cruelty to animals, as defined in s. 828.12(1).

424 12. Arson, resulting in bodily harm to a firefighter, as
425 defined in s. 806.031(1).

426 13. Unlawful possession or discharge of a weapon or
427 firearm at a school-sponsored event or on school property as
428 defined in s. 790.115.

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430 A law enforcement agency may fingerprint and photograph a child
431 taken into custody upon probable cause that such child has
432 committed any other violation of law, as the agency deems
433 appropriate. Such fingerprint records and photographs shall be
434 retained by the law enforcement agency in a separate file, and
435 these records and all copies thereof must be marked "Juvenile
436 Confidential." These records are not available for public
437 disclosure and inspection under s. 119.07(1) except as provided
438 in ss. 943.053 and 985.04(2), but shall be available to other
439 law enforcement agencies, criminal justice agencies, state
440 attorneys, the courts, the child, the parents or legal

441 custodians of the child, their attorneys, and any other person
442 authorized by the court to have access to such records. In
443 addition, such records may be submitted to the Department of Law
444 Enforcement for inclusion in the state criminal history records
445 and used by criminal justice agencies for criminal justice
446 purposes. These records may, in the discretion of the court, be
447 open to inspection by anyone upon a showing of cause. The
448 fingerprint and photograph records shall be produced in the
449 court whenever directed by the court. Any photograph taken
450 pursuant to this section may be shown by a law enforcement
451 officer to any victim or witness of a crime for the purpose of
452 identifying the person who committed such crime.

453 **Section 6. Paragraph (a) of subsection (3) of section**
454 **985.644, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:**

455 985.644 Departmental contracting powers; personnel
456 standards and investigation.—

457 (3)(a) All employees of the department and all personnel
458 of contract providers for any program for children, including
459 all owners, operators, employees, persons who have access to
460 confidential juvenile records, and volunteers, must complete:

461 1. A level 2 employment screening pursuant to chapter 435
462 before employment. The security background investigation
463 conducted under this section must ensure that, in addition to
464 the disqualifying offenses listed in s. 435.04, no person
465 subject to the background screening provisions of this section

466 has an arrest awaiting final disposition for, been found guilty
467 of, regardless of adjudication, or entered a plea of nolo
468 contendere or guilty to, or been adjudicated delinquent and the
469 record has not been sealed or expunged for, any offense
470 prohibited under the following provisions of state law or
471 similar laws of another jurisdiction:

472 a. Section 784.07, relating to assault or battery of law
473 enforcement officers, firefighters, emergency medical care
474 providers, public transit employees or agents, or other
475 specified persons ~~officers~~.

476 b. Section 817.568, relating to criminal use of personal
477 identification information.

478 2. A national criminal records check by the Federal Bureau
479 of Investigation every 5 years following the date of the
480 person's employment.

481 **Section 7.** This act shall take effect October 1, 2025.