

Senate Bill No. 810

An act relating to law enforcement officers; amending s. 901.252, F.S.; providing authority to municipal law enforcement officers to patrol property and facilities leased by the municipality but located outside its territorial jurisdiction; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 901.252, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

901.252 Authority to patrol municipally owned or leased property and facilities outside municipal limits; taking into custody outside territorial jurisdiction.—

(1) A duly constituted law enforcement officer employed by a municipality may patrol property and facilities which are owned or leased by the municipality but are outside the jurisdictional limits of the municipality, and, when there is probable cause to believe a person has committed or is committing a violation of state law or of a county or municipal ordinance on such property or facilities, may take the person into custody and detain the person in a reasonable manner and for a reasonable time. The law enforcement officer employed by the municipality shall immediately call a law enforcement officer with jurisdiction over the property or facility on which the violation occurred after detaining a person under this subsection.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

Approved by the Governor May 31, 2001.

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