CHAPTER 2016-151

House Bill No. 7071

An act relating to public corruption; amending s. 838.014, F.S.; revising and providing definitions; amending s. 838.015, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "bribery"; revising requirements for prosecution; amending s. 838.016, F.S.; revising the prohibition against unlawful compensation or reward for official behavior to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 838.022, F.S.; revising the prohibition against official misconduct to conform to changes made by the act; revising applicability of the offense to include public contractors; amending s. 838.22, F.S.; revising the prohibition against bid tampering to conform to changes made by the act; revising applicability of the offense to include specified public contractors; reenacting s. 112.534(2)(a), F.S., relating to official misconduct, s. 117.01(4)(d), F.S., relating to appointment, application, suspension, revocation, application fee, bond, and oath, and s. 921.0022(3)(d), F.S., relating to the Criminal Punishment Code offense severity ranking chart, to incorporate amendments made by the act to s. 838.022, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 817.568(11), F.S., relating to criminal use of personal identification information, to incorporate the amendment made by the act to s. 838.014, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 921.0022(3)(g), F.S., relating to the Criminal Punishment Code offense severity ranking chart, to incorporate the amendments made by the act to ss. 838.015, 838.016, and 838.22, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (7) of section 838.014, Florida Statutes, is renumbered as subsection (8), present subsections (4) and (6) are amended, and a new subsection (6) is added to that section, to read:

838.014 Definitions.—As used in this chapter, the term:

- (4) "Governmental entity" means an agency or entity of the state, a county, municipality, or special district or any other public entity created or authorized by law "Corruptly" or "with corrupt intent" means acting knowingly and dishonestly for a wrongful purpose.
- (6) "Public contractor" means, for purposes of ss. 838.022 and 838.22 only:
- (a) Any person, as defined in s. 1.01(3), who has entered into a contract with a governmental entity; or
- (b) Any officer or employee of a person, as defined in s. 1.01(3), who has entered into a contract with a governmental entity.
 - (7)(6) "Public servant" means:

- (a) Any officer or employee of a governmental state, county, municipal, or special district agency or entity,; including
 - (b) any executive, legislative, or judicial branch officer or employee;
- (b)(e) Any person, except a witness, who acts as a general or special magistrate, receiver, auditor, arbitrator, umpire, referee, consultant, or hearing officer while performing a governmental function; or
- (c)(d) A candidate for election or appointment to any of the officer positions listed in this subsection, or an individual who has been elected to, but has yet to officially assume the responsibilities of, public office.
- Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 838.015, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

838.015 Bribery.—

- (1) "Bribery" means eorruptly to knowingly and intentionally give, offer, or promise to any public servant, or, if a public servant, eorruptly to knowingly and intentionally request, solicit, accept, or agree to accept for himself or herself or another, any pecuniary or other benefit not authorized by law with an intent or purpose to influence the performance of any act or omission which the person believes to be, or the public servant represents as being, within the official discretion of a public servant, in violation of a public duty, or in performance of a public duty.
- Section 3. Subsections (1) and (2) of section 838.016, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:
 - 838.016 Unlawful compensation or reward for official behavior.—
- (1) It is unlawful for any person eorruptly to knowingly and intentionally give, offer, or promise to any public servant, or, if a public servant, eorruptly to knowingly and intentionally request, solicit, accept, or agree to accept, any pecuniary or other benefit not authorized by law, for the past, present, or future performance, nonperformance, or violation of any act or omission which the person believes to have been, or the public servant represents as having been, either within the official discretion of the public servant, in violation of a public duty, or in performance of a public duty. This section does not Nothing herein shall be construed to preclude a public servant from accepting rewards for services performed in apprehending any criminal.
- (2) It is unlawful for any person corruptly to <u>knowingly and intentionally</u> give, offer, or promise to any public servant, or, if a public servant, corruptly to <u>knowingly and intentionally</u> request, solicit, accept, or agree to accept, any pecuniary or other benefit not authorized by law for the past, present, or future exertion of any influence upon or with any other public servant regarding any act or omission which the person believes to have been, or which is represented to him or her as having been, either within the official

discretion of the other public servant, in violation of a public duty, or in performance of a public duty.

Section 4. Subsection (1) of section 838.022, Florida Statutes, is amended, and subsection (2) of that section is republished, to read:

838.022 Official misconduct.—

- (1) It is unlawful for a public servant <u>or public contractor</u>, <u>with corrupt intent</u> to <u>knowingly and intentionally</u> obtain a benefit for any person or to cause <u>unlawful</u> harm to another, <u>by</u> to:
- (a) Falsifying Falsify, or causing eause another person to falsify, any official record or official document;
- (b) <u>Concealing, covering up, destroying, mutilating, or altering Conceal, eover up, destroy, mutilate, or alter any official record or official document, except as authorized by law or contract, or causing eause another person to perform such an act; or</u>
- (c) <u>Obstructing, delaying, or preventing Obstruct, delay, or prevent</u> the communication of information relating to the commission of a felony that directly involves or affects the <u>government public agency or public entity</u> served by the public servant <u>or public contractor</u>.
 - (2) For the purposes of this section:
- (a) The term "public servant" does not include a candidate who does not otherwise qualify as a public servant.
 - (b) An official record or official document includes only public records.
 - Section 5. Section 838.22, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

838.22 Bid tampering.—

- (1) It is unlawful for a public servant <u>or a public contractor who has contracted with a governmental entity to assist in a competitive procurement, with corrupt intent to knowingly and intentionally influence or attempt to influence the competitive <u>solicitation</u> <u>bidding process</u> undertaken by any <u>governmental</u> <u>state</u>, <u>county</u>, <u>municipal</u>, <u>or special district agency</u>, <u>or any other public</u> entity, for the procurement of commodities or services, <u>by to</u>:</u>
- (a) <u>Disclosing, except as authorized by law, Disclose</u> material information concerning a <u>vendor's response</u>, any evaluation results, bid or other aspects of the competitive <u>solicitation</u> bidding process when such information is not publicly disclosed.
- (b) <u>Altering or amending Alter or amend</u> a submitted <u>response</u> bid, documents or other materials supporting a submitted <u>response</u> bid, or <u>any</u> evaluation bid results <u>relating to the competitive solicitation</u> for the purpose

of intentionally providing a competitive advantage to any person who submits a <u>response</u> bid.

- (2) It is unlawful for a public servant or a public contractor who has contracted with a governmental entity to assist in a competitive procurement, with corrupt intent to knowingly and intentionally obtain a benefit for any person or to cause unlawful harm to another, to circumvent by circumventing a competitive solicitation bidding process required by law or rule through the use of by using a sole-source contract for commodities or services.
- (3) It is unlawful for any person to knowingly agree, conspire, combine, or confederate, directly or indirectly, with a public servant or a public contractor who has contracted with a governmental entity to assist in a competitive procurement to violate subsection (1) or subsection (2).
- (4) It is unlawful for any person to knowingly enter into a contract for commodities or services which was secured by a public servant or a public contractor who has contracted with a governmental entity to assist in a competitive procurement acting in violation of subsection (1) or subsection (2).
- (5) Any person who violates this section commits a felony of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084.
- Section 6. For the purpose of incorporating the amendment made by this act to section 838.022, Florida Statutes, in a reference thereto, paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section 112.534, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:
 - 112.534 Failure to comply; official misconduct.—
 - (2)(a) All the provisions of s. 838.022 shall apply to this part.
- Section 7. For the purpose of incorporating the amendment made by this act to section 838.022, Florida Statutes, in a reference thereto, paragraph (d) of subsection (4) of section 117.01, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:
- 117.01 Appointment, application, suspension, revocation, application fee, bond, and oath.—
- (4) The Governor may suspend a notary public for any of the grounds provided in s. 7, Art. IV of the State Constitution. Grounds constituting malfeasance, misfeasance, or neglect of duty include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - (d) Official misconduct as defined in s. 838.022.
- Section 8. For the purpose of incorporating the amendment made by this act to section 838.014, Florida Statutes, in a reference thereto, subsection (11) of section 817.568, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

817.568 Criminal use of personal identification information.—

(11) A person who willfully and without authorization fraudulently uses personal identification information concerning an individual who is 60 years of age or older; a disabled adult as defined in s. 825.101; a public servant as defined in s. 838.014; a veteran as defined in s. 1.01; a first responder as defined in s. 125.01045; an individual who is employed by the State of Florida; or an individual who is employed by the Federal Government without first obtaining the consent of that individual commits a felony of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084.

Section 9. For the purpose of incorporating the amendment made by this act to sections 838.015, 838.016, and 838.22, Florida Statutes, in references thereto, paragraph (g) of subsection (3) of section 921.0022, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

921.0022 Criminal Punishment Code; offense severity ranking chart.—

(3) OFFENSE SEVERITY RANKING CHART

(g) LEVEL 7

| Florida | Folony | |
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| Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
| 316.027(2)(c) | 1st | Accident involving death, failure to stop; leaving scene. |
| 316.193(3)(c)2. | 3rd | DUI resulting in serious bodily injury. |
| 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 enfor- cement officer who is in a patrol vehicle with siren and lights activated. |
| 327.35(3)(c)2. | 3rd | Vessel BUI resulting in serious bodily injury. |
| 402.319(2) | 2nd | Misrepresentation and negligence or intentional act resulting in great bodily harm, permanent disfiguration, permanent disability, or death. |
| 409.920 (2)(b)1.a. | 3rd | Medicaid provider fraud; \$10,000 or less. |
| 409.920 (2)(b)1.b. | 2nd | Medicaid provider fraud; more than \$10,000, but less than \$50,000. |
| 456.065(2) | 3rd | Practicing a health care profession without a license. |

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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| 456.065(2) | 2nd | Practicing a health care profession without a license which results in serious bodily injury. |
| 458.327(1) | 3rd | Practicing medicine without a license. |
| 459.013(1) | 3rd | Practicing osteopathic medicine without a license. |
| 460.411(1) | 3rd | Practicing chiropractic medicine without a license. |
| 461.012(1) | 3rd | Practicing podiatric medicine without a license. |
| 462.17 | 3rd | Practicing naturopathy without a license. |
| 463.015(1) | 3rd | Practicing optometry without a license. |
| 464.016(1) | 3rd | Practicing nursing without a license. |
| 465.015(2) | 3rd | Practicing pharmacy without a license. |
| 466.026(1) | 3rd | Practicing dentistry or dental hygiene without a license. |
| 467.201 | 3rd | Practicing midwifery without a license. |
| 468.366 | 3rd | Delivering respiratory care services without a license. |
| 483.828(1) | 3rd | Practicing as clinical laboratory personnel without a license. |
| 483.901(9) | 3rd | Practicing medical physics without a license. |
| 484.013(1)(c) | 3rd | Preparing or dispensing optical devices without a prescription. |
| 484.053 | 3rd | Dispensing hearing aids without a license. |
| 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. |
| 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. |

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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| 560.125(5)(a) | 3rd | Money services business by unauthorized person, currency or payment instruments exceeding \$300 but less than \$20,000. |
| 655.50(10)(b)1. | 3rd | Failure to report financial transactions exceeding \$300 but less than \$20,000 by financial institution. |
| 775.21(10)(a) | 3rd | Sexual predator; failure to register; failure to renew driver license or identification card; other registration violations. |
| 775.21(10)(b) | 3rd | Sexual predator working where children regularly congregate. |
| 775.21(10)(g) | 3rd | Failure to report or providing false information about a sexual predator; harbor or conceal a sexual predator. |
| 782.051(3) | 2nd | Attempted felony murder of a person by a person other than the perpetrator or the perpetrator of an attempted felony. |
| 782.07(1) | 2nd | Killing of a human being by the act, procurement, or culpable negligence of another (manslaughter). |
| 782.071 | 2nd | Killing of a human being or unborn child by the operation of a motor vehicle in a reckless manner (vehicular homicide). |
| 782.072 | 2nd | Killing of a human being by the operation of a vessel in a reckless manner (vessel homicide). |
| 784.045(1)(a)1. | 2nd | Aggravated battery; intentionally causing great bodily harm or disfigurement. |
| 784.045(1)(a)2. | 2nd | Aggravated battery; using deadly weapon. |
| 784.045(1)(b) | 2nd | Aggravated battery; perpetrator aware victim pregnant. |
| 784.048(4) | 3rd | Aggravated stalking; violation of injunction or court order. |
| 784.048(7) | 3rd | Aggravated stalking; violation of court order. |

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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| 784.07(2)(d) | 1st | Aggravated battery on law enforcement officer. |
| 784.074(1)(a) | 1st | Aggravated battery on sexually violent predators facility staff. |
| 784.08(2)(a) | 1st | Aggravated battery on a person 65 years of age or older. |
| 784.081(1) | 1st | Aggravated battery on specified official or employee. $$ |
| 784.082(1) | 1st | Aggravated battery by detained person on visitor or other detainee. |
| 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. |
| 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. |
| 790.07(4) | 1st | Specified weapons violation subsequent to previous conviction of s. 790.07(1) or (2). |
| 790.16(1) | 1st | Discharge of a machine gun under specified circumstances. |
| 790.165(2) | 2nd | Manufacture, sell, possess, or deliver hoax bomb. |
| 790.165(3) | 2nd | Possessing, displaying, or threatening to use any hoax bomb while committing or attempting to commit a felony. |
| 790.166(3) | 2nd | Possessing, selling, using, or attempting to use a hoax weapon of mass destruction. |
| 790.166(4) | 2nd | Possessing, displaying, or threatening to use a hoax weapon of mass destruction while committing or attempting to commit a felony. |
| 790.23 | 1st,PBL | Possession of a firearm by a person who qualifies for the penalty enhancements provided for in s. 874.04. |

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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| 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. |
| 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. |
| 800.04(5)(c)1. | 2nd | Lewd or lascivious molestation; victim younger than 12 years of age; offender younger than 18 years of age. |
| 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. |
| 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. |
| 806.01(2) | 2nd | Maliciously damage structure by fire or explosive. |
| 810.02(3)(a) | 2nd | Burglary of occupied dwelling; unarmed; no assault or battery. |
| 810.02(3)(b) | 2nd | Burglary of unoccupied dwelling; unarmed; no assault or battery. |
| 810.02(3)(d) | 2nd | Burglary of occupied conveyance; unarmed; no assault or battery. |
| 810.02(3)(e) | 2nd | Burglary of authorized emergency vehicle. |
| 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 de- gree grand theft. |
| 812.014(2)(b)2. | 2nd | Property stolen, cargo valued at less than \$50,000, grand theft in 2nd degree. |
| 812.014(2)(b)3. | 2nd | Property stolen, emergency medical equipment; 2nd degree grand theft. |

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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| 812.014(2)(b)4. | 2nd | Property stolen, law enforcement equipment from authorized emergency vehicle. |
| 812.0145(2)(a) | 1st | Theft from person 65 years of age or older; \$50,000 or more. |
| 812.019(2) | 1st | Stolen property; initiates, organizes, plans, etc., the theft of property and traffics in stolen property. |
| 812.131(2)(a) | 2nd | Robbery by sudden snatching. |
| 812.133(2)(b) | 1st | Carjacking; no firearm, deadly weapon, or other weapon. |
| 817.034(4)(a)1. | 1st | Communications fraud, value greater than \$50,000. |
| 817.234(8)(a) | 2nd | Solicitation of motor vehicle accident victims with intent to defraud. |
| 817.234(9) | 2nd | Organizing, planning, or participating in an intentional motor vehicle collision. |
| 817.234(11)(c) | 1st | Insurance fraud; property value \$100,000 or more. |
| 817.2341(2)(b) & (3)(b) | 1st | Making false entries of material fact or false statements regarding property va- lues relating to the solvency of an insur- ing entity which are a significant cause of the insolvency of that entity. |
| 817.535(2)(a) | 3rd | Filing false lien or other unauthorized document. |
| 825.102(3)(b) | 2nd | Neglecting an elderly person or disabled adult causing great bodily harm, disability, or disfigurement. |
| 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. |
| 827.03(2)(b) | 2nd | Neglect of a child causing great bodily harm, disability, or disfigurement. |
| 827.04(3) | 3rd | Impregnation of a child under 16 years of age by person 21 years of age or older. |

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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| 837.05(2) | 3rd | Giving false information about alleged capital felony to a law enforcement officer. |
| 838.015 | 2nd | Bribery. |
| 838.016 | 2nd | Unlawful compensation or reward for official behavior. |
| 838.021(3)(a) | 2nd | Unlawful harm to a public servant. |
| 838.22 | 2nd | Bid tampering. |
| 843.0855(2) | 3rd | Impersonation of a public officer or employee. |
| 843.0855(3) | 3rd | Unlawful simulation of legal process. |
| 843.0855(4) | 3rd | Intimidation of a public officer or employee. |
| 847.0135(3) | 3rd | Solicitation of a child, via a computer service, to commit an unlawful sex act. |
| 847.0135(4) | 2nd | Traveling to meet a minor to commit an unlawful sex act. |
| 872.06 | 2nd | Abuse of a dead human body. |
| 874.05(2)(b) | 1st | Encouraging or recruiting person under 13 to join a criminal gang; second or subsequent offense. |
| 874.10 | 1st,PBL | Knowingly initiates, organizes, plans, finances, directs, manages, or supervises criminal gang-related activity. |
| 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)4.) within 1,000 feet of a child care facility, school, or state, county, or municipal park or publicly owned recreational facility or community center. |
| 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)4., within 1,000 feet of property used for religious services or a specified business site. |

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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| 893.13(4)(a) | 1st | Deliver to minor cocaine (or other s. $893.03(1)(a)$, $(1)(b)$, $(1)(d)$, $(2)(a)$, $(2)(b)$, or $(2)(c)4$. drugs). |
| 893.135(1)(a)1. | 1st | Trafficking in cannabis, more than 25 lbs., less than 2,000 lbs. |
| 893.135(1)(b)1.a. | 1st | Trafficking in cocaine, more than 28 grams, less than 200 grams. |
| 893.135(1)(c)1.a. | 1st | Trafficking in illegal drugs, more than 4 grams, less than 14 grams. |
| 893.135(1)(c)2.a. | 1st | Trafficking in hydrocodone, 14 grams or more, less than 28 grams. |
| 893.135(1)(c)2.b. | 1st | Trafficking in hydrocodone, 28 grams or more, less than 50 grams. |
| 893.135(1)(c)3.a. | 1st | Trafficking in oxycodone, 7 grams or more, less than 14 grams. |
| 893.135(1)(c)3.b. | 1st | Trafficking in oxycodone, 14 grams or more, less than 25 grams. |
| 893.135(1)(d)1. | 1st | Trafficking in phencyclidine, more than 28 grams, less than 200 grams. |
| 893.135(1)(e)1. | 1st | Trafficking in methaqualone, more than 200 grams, less than 5 kilograms. |
| 893.135(1)(f)1. | 1st | Trafficking in amphetamine, more than 14 grams, less than 28 grams. |
| 893.135(1)(g)1.a. | 1st | Trafficking in flunitrazepam, 4 grams or more, less than 14 grams. |
| 893.135(1)(h)1.a. | 1st | Trafficking in gamma-hydroxybutyric acid (GHB), 1 kilogram or more, less than 5 kilograms. |
| 893.135(1)(j)1.a. | 1st | Trafficking in 1,4-Butanediol, 1 kilogram or more, less than 5 kilograms. |
| 893.135(1)(k)2.a. | 1st | Trafficking in Phenethylamines, 10 grams or more, less than 200 grams. |
| 893.1351(2) | 2nd | Possession of place for trafficking in or manufacturing of controlled substance. |
| 896.101(5)(a) | 3rd | Money laundering, financial transactions exceeding \$300 but less than \$20,000. |

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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| 896.104(4)(a)1. | 3rd | Structuring transactions to evade reporting or registration requirements, financial transactions exceeding \$300 but less than \$20,000. |
| 943.0435(4)(c) | 2nd | Sexual offender vacating permanent residence; failure to comply with reporting requirements. |
| 943.0435(8) | 2nd | Sexual offender; remains in state after indicating intent to leave; failure to comply with reporting requirements. |
| 943.0435(9)(a) | 3rd | Sexual offender; failure to comply with reporting requirements. |
| 943.0435(13) | 3rd | Failure to report or providing false information about a sexual offender; harbor or conceal a sexual offender. |
| 943.0435(14) | 3rd | Sexual offender; failure to report and reregister; failure to respond to address verification; providing false registration information. |
| 944.607(9) | 3rd | Sexual offender; failure to comply with reporting requirements. |
| 944.607(10)(a) | 3rd | Sexual offender; failure to submit to the taking of a digitized photograph. |
| 944.607(12) | 3rd | Failure to report or providing false information about a sexual offender; harbor or conceal a sexual offender. |
| 944.607(13) | 3rd | Sexual offender; failure to report and reregister; failure to respond to address verification; providing false registration information. |
| 985.4815(10) | 3rd | Sexual offender; failure to submit to the taking of a digitized photograph. |
| 985.4815(12) | 3rd | Failure to report or providing false information about a sexual offender; harbor or conceal a sexual offender. |

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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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. |

Section 10. For the purpose of incorporating the amendment made by this act to section 838.022, Florida Statutes, in a reference thereto, paragraph (d) of subsection (3) of section 921.0022, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

921.0022 Criminal Punishment Code; offense severity ranking chart.—

(3) OFFENSE SEVERITY RANKING CHART

(d) LEVEL 4

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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| 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 siren and lights activated. |
| 499.0051(1) | 3rd | Failure to maintain or deliver pedigree papers. |
| 499.0051(2) | 3rd | Failure to authenticate pedigree papers. |
| 499.0051(6) | 2nd | Knowing sale or delivery, or possession with intent to sell, contraband prescription drugs. |
| 517.07(1) | 3rd | Failure to register securities. |
| 517.12(1) | 3rd | Failure of dealer, associated person, or issuer of securities to register. |
| 784.07(2)(b) | 3rd | Battery of law enforcement officer, fire-fighter, etc. |
| 784.074(1)(c) | 3rd | Battery of sexually violent predators facility staff. |
| 784.075 | 3rd | Battery on detention or commitment facility staff. |

| Florida | Felony | |
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| Statute | Degree | Description |
| 784.078 | 3rd | Battery of facility employee by throwing, tossing, or expelling certain fluids or materials. |
| 784.08(2)(c) | 3rd | Battery on a person 65 years of age or older. |
| 784.081(3) | 3rd | Battery on specified official or employee. |
| 784.082(3) | 3rd | Battery by detained person on visitor or other detainee. |
| 784.083(3) | 3rd | Battery on code inspector. |
| 784.085 | 3rd | Battery of child by throwing, tossing, projecting, or expelling certain fluids or materials. |
| 787.03(1) | 3rd | Interference with custody; wrongly takes minor from appointed guardian. |
| 787.04(2) | 3rd | Take, entice, or remove child beyond state limits with criminal intent pending custody proceedings. |
| 787.04(3) | 3rd | Carrying child beyond state lines with criminal intent to avoid producing child at custody hearing or delivering to desig- nated person. |
| 787.07 | 3rd | Human smuggling. |
| 790.115(1) | 3rd | Exhibiting firearm or weapon within 1,000 feet of a school. |
| 790.115(2)(b) | 3rd | Possessing electric weapon or device, destructive device, or other weapon on school property. |
| 790.115(2)(c) | 3rd | Possessing firearm on school property. |
| 800.04(7)(c) | 3rd | Lewd or lascivious exhibition; offender less than 18 years. |
| 810.02(4)(a) | 3rd | Burglary, or attempted burglary, of an unoccupied structure; unarmed; no assault or battery. |
| 810.02(4)(b) | 3rd | Burglary, or attempted burglary, of an unoccupied conveyance; unarmed; no assault or battery. |

| Florida Statute | Felony Degree | Description |
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| 810.06 | 3rd | Burglary; possession of tools. |
| 810.08(2)(c) | 3rd | Trespass on property, armed with firearm or dangerous weapon. |
| 812.014(2)(c)3. | 3rd | Grand theft, 3rd degree \$10,000 or more but less than \$20,000. |
| 812.014(2)(c)410. | 3rd | Grand theft, 3rd degree, a will, firearm, motor vehicle, livestock, etc. |
| 812.0195(2) | 3rd | Dealing in stolen property by use of the Internet; property stolen \$300 or more. |
| 817.563(1) | 3rd | Sell or deliver substance other than controlled substance agreed upon, excluding s. 893.03(5) drugs. |
| 817.568(2)(a) | 3rd | Fraudulent use of personal identification information. |
| 817.625(2)(a) | 3rd | Fraudulent use of scanning device or reencoder. |
| 828.125(1) | 2nd | Kill, maim, or cause great bodily harm or permanent breeding disability to any registered horse or cattle. |
| 837.02(1) | 3rd | Perjury in official proceedings. |
| 837.021(1) | 3rd | Make contradictory statements in official proceedings. |
| 838.022 | 3rd | Official misconduct. |
| 839.13(2)(a) | 3rd | Falsifying records of an individual in the care and custody of a state agency. |
| 839.13(2)(c) | 3rd | Falsifying records of the Department of Children and Families. |
| 843.021 | 3rd | Possession of a concealed handcuff key by a person in custody. |
| 843.025 | 3rd | Deprive law enforcement, correctional, or correctional probation officer of means of protection or communication. |
| 843.15(1)(a) | 3rd | Failure to appear while on bail for felony (bond estreature or bond jumping). |

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| 847.0135(5)(c) | 3rd | Lewd or lascivious exhibition using computer; offender less than 18 years. |
| 874.05(1)(a) | 3rd | Encouraging or recruiting another to join a criminal gang. |
| 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)4. drugs). |
| 914.14(2) | 3rd | Witnesses accepting bribes. |
| 914.22(1) | 3rd | Force, threaten, etc., witness, victim, or informant. |
| 914.23(2) | 3rd | Retaliation against a witness, victim, or informant, no bodily injury. |
| 918.12 | 3rd | Tampering with jurors. |
| 934.215 | 3rd | Use of two-way communications device to facilitate commission of a crime. |

Section 11. This act shall take effect October 1, 2016.

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