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21 800.04(1).	
(c) "Sexual conduct" and the term "sexual excitement" l	
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(d) "Sexual performance" has the same meaning as in s.	<u>nave</u>
25 <u>827.071(1).</u>	nave

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26	(2) A person 18 years of age or older who engages in a
27	pattern of inappropriate communication or conduct directed
28	toward a person less than 16 years of age for the purpose of
29	preparing, encouraging, or enticing such person to engage in any
30	unlawful sexual activity, sexual conduct, or sexual performance
31	commits lewd or lascivious grooming, a felony of the third
32	degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s.
33	775.084.
34	Section 2. Paragraph (c) of subsection (3) of section
35	921.0022, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
36	921.0022 Criminal Punishment Code; offense severity
37	ranking chart.—
38	(3) OFFENSE SEVERITY RANKING CHART
39	(c) LEVEL 3
40	
	Florida Felony
	Statute Degree Description
41	
	119.10(2)(b) 3rd Unlawful use of confidential
	information from police
	reports.
42	
	316.066 3rd Unlawfully obtaining or using
	(3) (b)-(d) confidential crash reports.
43	

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	316.193(2)(b)	3rd	Felony DUI, 3rd conviction.
44			
	316.1935(2)	3rd	Fleeing or attempting to elude
			law enforcement officer in
			patrol vehicle with siren and
			lights activated.
45			
	319.30(4)	3rd	Possession by junkyard of motor
			vehicle with identification
			number plate removed.
46			
	319.33(1)(a)	3rd	Alter or forge any certificate
			of title to a motor vehicle or
			mobile home.
47			
	319.33(1)(c)	3rd	Procure or pass title on stolen
			vehicle.
48			
	319.33(4)	3rd	With intent to defraud,
			possess, sell, etc., a blank,
			forged, or unlawfully obtained
			title or registration.
49			
	327.35(2)(b)	3rd	Felony BUI.
50			

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	328.05(2)	3rd	Possess, sell, or counterfeit
			fictitious, stolen, or
			fraudulent titles or bills of
			sale of vessels.
51			
	328.07(4)	3rd	Manufacture, exchange, or
			possess vessel with counterfeit
			or wrong ID number.
52			
	376.302(5)	3rd	Fraud related to reimbursement
			for cleanup expenses under the
			Inland Protection Trust Fund.
53			
	379.2431	3rd	Taking, disturbing, mutilating,
	(1) (e)5.		destroying, causing to be
			destroyed, transferring,
			selling, offering to sell,
			molesting, or harassing marine
			turtles, marine turtle eggs, or
			marine turtle nests in
			violation of the Marine Turtle
			Protection Act.
54			
54	379.2431	3rd	Possessing any marine turtle
54	379.2431 (1)(e)6.	3rd	Possessing any marine turtle species or hatchling, or parts

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			thereof, or the nest of any
			marine turtle species described
			in the Marine Turtle Protection
			Act.
55			
	379.2431	3rd	Soliciting to commit or
	(1)(e)7.		conspiring to commit a
			violation of the Marine Turtle
			Protection Act.
56			
	400.9935(4)(a)	3rd	Operating a clinic, or offering
	or (b)		services requiring licensure,
			without a license.
57			
	400.9935(4)(e)	3rd	Filing a false license
			application or other required
			information or failing to
			report information.
58			
	440.1051(3)	3rd	False report of workers'
			compensation fraud or
			retaliation for making such a
			report.
59			
	501.001(2)(b)	2nd	Tampers with a consumer product
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60			or the container using materially false/misleading information.
61	624.401(4)(a)	3rd	Transacting insurance without a certificate of authority.
	624.401(4)(b)1.	3rd	Transacting insurance without a certificate of authority; premium collected less than \$20,000.
62			
63	626.902(1)(a) & (b)	3rd	Representing an unauthorized insurer.
64	697.08	3rd	Equity skimming.
	790.15(3)	3rd	Person directs another to discharge firearm from a vehicle.
65			
	794.053	3rd	Lewd or lascivious written solicitation of a person 16 or 17 years of age by a person 24 years of age or older.
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66			
	800.045(2)	<u>3rd</u>	Lewd or lascivious grooming.
67			
	806.10(1)	3rd	Maliciously injure, destroy, or
			interfere with vehicles or
			equipment used in firefighting.
68			
	806.10(2)	3rd	Interferes with or assaults
			firefighter in performance of
			duty.
69			
	810.09(2)(c)	3rd	Trespass on property other than
			structure or conveyance armed
			with firearm or dangerous
70			weapon.
70	812.014(2)(c)2.	3rd	Grand theft; \$5,000 or more but
	012.014(2)(0)2.	31 d	less than \$10,000.
71			1635 Chan 910,000.
, -	812.0145(2)(c)	3rd	Theft from person 65 years of
	011.0110(2)(0)	010	age or older; \$300 or more but
			less than \$10,000.
72			· •
	812.015(8)(b)	3rd	Retail theft with intent to
			sell; conspires with others.

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73			
	812.081(2)	3rd	Theft of a trade secret.
74			
	815.04(4)(b)	2nd	Computer offense devised to
	, , , ,		defraud or obtain property.
75			are and are
, 5	817.034(4)(a)3.	3rd	Engages in scheme to defraud
	017.034(4)(0/3.	JId	(Florida Communications Fraud
			Act), property valued at less
			than \$20,000.
76			
	817.233	3rd	Burning to defraud insurer.
77			
	817.234	3rd	Unlawful solicitation of
	(8) (b) & (c)		persons involved in motor
			vehicle accidents.
78			
	817.234(11)(a)	3rd	Insurance fraud; property value
			less than \$20,000.
79			,
7 3	817.236	3rd	Filing a false motor vehicle
	017.230	31 a	
			insurance application.
80			
	817.2361	3rd	Creating, marketing, or
			presenting a false or
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			fraudulent motor vehicle
			insurance card.
81			
	817.413(2)	3rd	Sale of used goods of \$1,000 or
			more as new.
82			
	817.49(2)(b)1.	3rd	Willful making of a false
			report of a crime causing great
			bodily harm, permanent
			disfigurement, or permanent
			disability.
83			
	831.28(2)(a)	3rd	Counterfeiting a payment
			instrument with intent to
			defraud or possessing a
			counterfeit payment instrument
			with intent to defraud.
84			
	831.29	2nd	Possession of instruments for
			counterfeiting driver licenses
			or identification cards.
85			
	836.13(2)	3rd	Person who promotes an altered
			sexual depiction of an
			identifiable person without
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			consent.
86			
	838.021(3)(b)	3rd	Threatens unlawful harm to
			public servant.
87	0.60 1.5 (2)	0 1	
	860.15(3)	3rd	Overcharging for repairs and
88			parts.
	870.01(2)	3rd	Riot.
89	070.01(2)	31 a	NIOC.
	870.01(4)	3rd	Inciting a riot.
90			
	893.13(1)(a)2.	3rd	Sell, manufacture, or deliver
			cannabis (or other s.
			893.03(1)(c), (2)(c)1.,
			(2)(c)2., (2)(c)3., (2)(c)6.,
			(2)(c)7., (2)(c)8., (2)(c)9.,
			(2)(c)10., (3), or (4) drugs).
91			
	893.13(1)(d)2.	2nd	Sell, manufacture, or deliver
			s. 893.03(1)(c), (2)(c)1.,
			(2) (c) 2., (2) (c) 3., (2) (c) 6., (2) (c) 7., (2) (c) 8., (2) (c) 9.,
			(2)(c)10., (2)(c)0., (2)(c)3., (2)(c)10., (3), or (4) drugs
			within 1,000 feet of

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92			university.
92	893.13(1)(f)2.	2nd	Sell, manufacture, or deliver  s. 893.03(1)(c), (2)(c)1.,  (2)(c)2., (2)(c)3., (2)(c)6.,  (2)(c)7., (2)(c)8., (2)(c)9.,  (2)(c)10., (3), or (4) drugs  within 1,000 feet of public  housing facility.
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	893.13(4)(c)	3rd	Use or hire of minor; deliver to minor other controlled substances.
94			
	893.13(6)(a)	3rd	Possession of any controlled substance other than felony possession of cannabis.
95	893.13(7)(a)8.	3rd	Withhold information from
	030.13(7)(4)0.	314	practitioner regarding previous receipt of or prescription for a controlled substance.
96			
	893.13(7)(a)9.	3rd	Obtain or attempt to obtain controlled substance by fraud,

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			forgery, misrepresentation, etc.
97			
	893.13(7)(a)10.	3rd	Affix false or forged label to
			package of controlled
			substance.
98			
	893.13(7)(a)11.	3rd	Furnish false or fraudulent
			material information on any
			document or record required by
			chapter 893.
99			
	893.13(8)(a)1.	3rd	Knowingly assist a patient,
			other person, or owner of an
			animal in obtaining a
			controlled substance through
			deceptive, untrue, or
			fraudulent representations in or related to the
			practitioner's practice.
100			practitioner 3 practice.
100	893.13(8)(a)2.	3rd	Employ a trick or scheme in the
			practitioner's practice to
			assist a patient, other person,
			or owner of an animal in
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101			obtaining a controlled substance.
	893.13(8)(a)3.	3rd	Knowingly write a prescription for a controlled substance for a fictitious person.
102	893.13(8)(a)4.	3rd	Write a prescription for a
			controlled substance for a patient, other person, or an
			animal if the sole purpose of writing the prescription is a
103			monetary benefit for the practitioner.
103	918.13(1)	3rd	Tampering with or fabricating physical evidence.
104	944.47 (1)(a)1. & 2.	3rd	Introduce contraband to correctional facility.
105		2nd	
	944.47(1)(c)	211U	Possess contraband while upon the grounds of a correctional institution.
106			INSCICUCION.

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985.721 3rd Escapes from a juvenile facility (secure detention or residential commitment facility).

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Section 3. This act shall take effect October 1, 2024.

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