Senator Simmons moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Delete line 104 and insert:

Section 3. Effective upon this act becoming a law, paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 784.046, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

784.046 Action by victim of repeat violence, sexual violence, or dating violence for protective injunction; dating violence investigations, notice to victims, and reporting; pretrial release violations; public records exemption.
(1) As used in this section, the term:

(a) “Violence” means any assault, aggravated assault, battery, aggravated battery, sexual assault, sexual battery, stalking, aggravated stalking, cyberstalking, kidnapping, or false imprisonment, or any criminal offense resulting in physical injury or death, by a person against any other person.

Section 4. Effective upon this act becoming a law, paragraph (d) of subsection (1) of section 784.048, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

784.048 Stalking; definitions; penalties.—
(1) As used in this section, the term:
(d) “Cyberstalk” means:
1. To engage in a course of conduct to communicate, or to cause to be communicated, words, images, or language by or through any of the following:
   a. The use of electronic mail or electronic communication, directed at a specific person; or
   b. Posting on an Internet website, blog, or social network, the content of which pertains to a specific person despite the fact that the post may also be visible to or accessed by other subscribers of the social networking site; or
2. To access, or attempt to access, the online accounts or Internet-connected home electronic systems of another person without that person’s permission,
causing substantial emotional distress to that person and serving no legitimate purpose.

Section 5. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon
this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect October 1, 2020.

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 11

and insert:

act; amending s. 784.046, F.S.; redefining the term “violence” to include incidents of cyberstalking;
amending s. 784.048, F.S.; redefining the term “cyberstalk”; providing effective dates.