CS/HB 1397

1	A bill to be entitled
2	An act relating to lewd or lascivious acts with
3	minors; amending s. 794.05, F.S.; prohibiting certain
4	lewd or lascivious acts by persons 24 years of age or
5	older with certain minors; providing penalties;
6	providing an effective date.
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8	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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10	Section 1. Subsections (2), (3), and (4) of section
11	794.05, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (3),
12	(4), and (5), respectively, and a new subsection (2) is added to
13	that section to read:
14	794.05 Unlawful sexual activity and lewd or lascivious
15	acts with certain minors
16	(2) A person 24 years of age or older who intentionally
17	touches in a lewd or lascivious manner the breasts, genitals,
18	genital area, or buttocks, or the clothing covering them, of a
19	person 16 or 17 years of age, or forces or entices a person 16
20	or 17 years of age to so touch the perpetrator, commits a felony
21	of the third degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s.
22	775.083, or s. 775.084.
23	Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2021.
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