

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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Representative Ingoglia offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. The Legislature finds that:

(1) Social media platforms represent an extraordinary advance in communication technology for Floridians.

(2) Users should be afforded control over their personal information related to social media platforms.

(3) Floridians increasingly rely on social media platforms to express their opinions.

(4) Social media platforms have transformed into the new public town square.

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14 (5) Social media platforms have become as important for
15 conveying public opinion as public utilities are for supporting
16 modern society.

17 (6) Social media platforms hold a unique place in
18 preserving first amendment protections for all Floridians and
19 should be treated similarly to common carriers.

20 (7) Social media platforms that unfairly censor, shadow
21 ban, deplatform, or apply post-prioritization algorithms to
22 Florida candidates, Florida users, or Florida residents are not
23 acting in good faith.

24 (8) Social media platforms should not take any action in
25 bad faith to restrict access or availability to Floridians.

26 (9) Social media platforms have unfairly censored, shadow
27 banned, deplatformed, and applied post-prioritization algorithms
28 to Floridians.

29 (10) The state has a substantial interest in protecting
30 its residents from inconsistent and unfair actions by social
31 media platforms.

32 (11) The state must vigorously enforce state law to
33 protect Floridians.

34 Section 2. Section 106.072, Florida Statutes, is created
35 to read:

36 106.072 Social media deplatforming of political
37 candidates.-

38 (1) As used in this section, the term:

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39 (a) "Candidate" has the same meaning as in s.
40 106.011(3)(e).

41 (b) "Deplatform" has the same meaning as in s. 501.2041.

42 (c) "Social media platform" has the same meaning as in s.
43 501.2041.

44 (d) "User" has the same meaning as in s. 501.2041.

45 (2) A social media platform may not willfully deplatform a
46 candidate for office who is known by the social media platform
47 to be a candidate, beginning on the date of qualification and
48 ending on the date of the election or the date the candidate
49 ceases to be a candidate. A social media platform must provide
50 each user a method by which the user may be identified as a
51 qualified candidate and which provides sufficient information to
52 allow the social media platform to confirm the user's
53 qualification by reviewing the website of the Division of
54 Elections or the website of the local supervisor of elections.

55 (3) Upon a finding of a violation of subsection (2) by the
56 Florida Elections Commission, in addition to the remedies
57 provided in ss. 106.265 and 106.27, the social media platform
58 may be fined \$250,000 per day for a candidate for statewide
59 office and \$25,000 per day for a candidate for other offices.

60 (4) A social media platform that willfully provides free
61 advertising for a candidate must inform the candidate of such
62 in-kind contribution. Posts, content, material, and comments by
63 candidates which are shown on the platform in the same or

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64 similar way as other users' posts, content, material, and
65 comments are not considered free advertising.

66 (5) This section may only be enforced to the extent not
67 inconsistent with federal law and 47 U.S.C. s. 230(e)(3), and
68 notwithstanding any other provision of state law.

69 Section 3. Section 287.137, Florida Statutes, is created
70 to read:

71 287.137 Antitrust violations; denial or revocation of the
72 right to transact business with public entities; denial of
73 economic benefits.—

74 (1) As used in this section, the term:

75 (a) "Affiliate" means:

76 1. A predecessor or successor of a person convicted of or
77 held civilly liable for an antitrust violation; or

78 2. An entity under the control of any natural person who
79 is active in the management of the entity that has been
80 convicted of or held civilly liable for an antitrust violation.

81 The term includes those officers, directors, executives,
82 partners, shareholders, employees, members, and agents who are
83 active in the management of an affiliate. The ownership by one
84 person of shares constituting a controlling interest in another
85 person, or a pooling of equipment or income among persons when
86 not for fair market value under an arm's length agreement, is a
87 prima facie case that one person controls another person. The
88 term also includes a person who knowingly enters into a joint

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89 venture with a person who has violated an antitrust law during
90 the preceding 36 months.

91 (b) "Antitrust violation" means any failure to comply with
92 a state or federal antitrust law as determined in a civil or
93 criminal proceeding brought by the Attorney General, a state
94 attorney, a similar body or agency of another state, the Federal
95 Trade Commission, or the United States Department of Justice.

96 (c) "Antitrust violator vendor list" means the list
97 required to be kept by the department pursuant to paragraph
98 (3) (b).

99 (d) "Conviction or being held civilly liable" or
100 "convicted or held civilly liable" means a criminal finding of
101 responsibility or guilt or conviction, with or without an
102 adjudication of guilt, being held civilly responsible or liable,
103 or having a judgment levied for an antitrust violation in any
104 federal or state trial court of record relating to charges
105 brought by indictment, information, or complaint on or after
106 July 1, 2021, as a result of a jury verdict, nonjury trial, or
107 entry of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere or other finding of
108 responsibility or liability.

109 (e) "Economic incentives" means state grants, cash grants,
110 tax exemptions, tax refunds, tax credits, state funds, and other
111 state incentives under chapter 288 or administered by Enterprise
112 Florida, Inc.

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113 (f) "Person" means a natural person or an entity organized
114 under the laws of any state or of the United States which
115 operates as a social media platform, as defined in s. 501.2041,
116 with the legal power to enter into a binding contract and which
117 bids or applies to bid on contracts let by a public entity, or
118 which otherwise transacts or applies to transact business with a
119 public entity. The term includes those officers, directors,
120 executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, and
121 agents who are active in the management of an entity.

122 (g) "Public entity" means the state and any of its
123 departments or agencies.

124 (2) (a) A person or an affiliate who has been placed on the
125 antitrust violator vendor list following a conviction or being
126 held civilly liable for an antitrust violation may not submit a
127 bid, proposal, or reply for any new contract to provide any
128 goods or services to a public entity; may not submit a bid,
129 proposal, or reply for a new contract with a public entity for
130 the construction or repair of a public building or public work;
131 may not submit a bid, proposal, or reply on new leases of real
132 property to a public entity; may not be awarded or perform work
133 as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a
134 new contract with a public entity; and may not transact new
135 business with a public entity.

136 (b) A public entity may not accept a bid, proposal, or
137 reply from, award a new contract to, or transact new business

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138 with any person or affiliate on the antitrust violator vendor
139 list unless that person or affiliate has been removed from the
140 list pursuant to paragraph (3) (e).

141 (c) This subsection does not apply to contracts that were
142 awarded or business transactions that began before a person or
143 an affiliate was placed on the antitrust violator vendor list or
144 before July 1, 2021, whichever date occurs later.

145 (3) (a) Beginning July 1, 2021, all invitations to bid,
146 requests for proposals, and invitations to negotiate, as those
147 terms are defined in s. 287.012, and any contract document
148 described in s. 287.058 must contain a statement informing
149 persons of the provisions of paragraph (2) (a).

150 (b) The department shall maintain an antitrust violator
151 vendor list of the names and addresses of the persons or
152 affiliates who have been disqualified from the public
153 contracting and purchasing process under this section. The
154 department shall electronically publish the initial antitrust
155 violator vendor list on January 1, 2022, and shall update and
156 electronically publish the list quarterly thereafter.
157 Notwithstanding this paragraph, a person or an affiliate
158 disqualified from the public contracting and purchasing process
159 pursuant to this section is disqualified as of the date the
160 department enters the final order.

161 (c)1. After receiving notice of a judgment, sentence, or
162 order from any source that a person was convicted or held

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163 civilly liable for an antitrust violation and after the
164 department has investigated the information and verified both
165 the judgment, sentence, or order and the identity of the person
166 named in the documentation, the department must immediately
167 notify the person or affiliate in writing of its intent to place
168 the name of that person or affiliate on the antitrust violator
169 vendor list and of the person's or affiliate's right to a
170 hearing, the procedure that must be followed, and the applicable
171 time requirements. If the person or affiliate does not request a
172 hearing, the department shall enter a final order placing the
173 name of the person or affiliate on the antitrust violator vendor
174 list. A person or affiliate may be placed on the antitrust
175 violator vendor list only after the department has provided the
176 person or affiliate with a notice of intent.

177 2. Within 21 days after receipt of the notice of intent,
178 the person or affiliate may file a petition for a formal hearing
179 under ss. 120.569 and 120.57(1) to determine whether good cause
180 has been shown by the department and whether it is in the public
181 interest for the person or affiliate to be placed on the
182 antitrust violator vendor list. A person or an affiliate may not
183 file a petition for an informal hearing under s. 120.57(2). The
184 procedures of chapter 120 shall apply to any formal hearing
185 under this paragraph except, within 30 days after the formal
186 hearing or receipt of the hearing transcript, whichever is
187 later, the administrative law judge shall enter a final order

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188 that shall consist of findings of fact, conclusions of law,
189 interpretation of agency rules, and any other information
190 required by law or rule to be contained in the final order. The
191 final order shall direct the department to place or not place
192 the person or affiliate on the antitrust violator vendor list.
193 The final order of the administrative law judge is final agency
194 action for purposes of s. 120.68.

195 3. In determining whether it is in the public interest to
196 place a person or an affiliate on the antitrust violator vendor
197 list under this paragraph, the administrative law judge shall
198 consider the following factors:

199 a. Whether the person or affiliate was convicted or held
200 civilly liable for an antitrust violation.

201 b. The nature and details of the antitrust violation.

202 c. The degree of culpability of the person or affiliate
203 proposed to be placed on the antitrust violator vendor list.

204 d. Reinstatement or clemency in any jurisdiction in
205 relation to the antitrust violation at issue in the proceeding.

206 e. The needs of public entities for additional competition
207 in the procurement of goods and services in their respective
208 markets.

209 f. The effect of the antitrust violations on Floridians.

210 4. After the person or affiliate requests a formal
211 hearing, the burden shifts to the department to prove that it is
212 in the public interest for the person or affiliate to whom it

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213 has given notice under this paragraph to be placed on the
214 antitrust violator vendor list. Proof that a person was
215 convicted or was held civilly liable or that an entity is an
216 affiliate of such person constitutes a prima facie case that it
217 is in the public interest for the person or affiliate to whom
218 the department has given notice to be put on the antitrust
219 violator vendor list. Status as an affiliate must be proven by
220 clear and convincing evidence. Unless the administrative law
221 judge determines that the person was convicted or that the
222 person was civilly liable or is an affiliate of such person,
223 that person or affiliate may not be placed on the antitrust
224 violator vendor list.

225 5. Any person or affiliate who has been notified by the
226 department of its intent to place his or her name on the
227 antitrust violator vendor list may offer evidence on any
228 relevant issue. An affidavit alone does not constitute competent
229 substantial evidence that the person has not been convicted or
230 is not an affiliate of a person convicted or held civilly
231 liable. Upon establishment of a prima facie case that it is in
232 the public interest for the person or affiliate to whom the
233 department has given notice to be put on the antitrust violator
234 vendor list, the person or affiliate may prove by a
235 preponderance of the evidence that it would not be in the public
236 interest to put him or her on the antitrust violator vendor

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237 list, based upon evidence addressing the factors in subparagraph
238 3.

239 (d)1. Upon receipt of an information or indictment from
240 any source that a person has been charged with or accused of
241 violating any state or federal antitrust law in a civil or
242 criminal proceeding, including a civil investigative demand,
243 brought by the Attorney General, a state attorney, the Federal
244 Trade Commission, or the United States Department of Justice on
245 or after July 1, 2021, the Attorney General must determine
246 whether there is probable cause that a person has likely
247 violated the underlying antitrust laws, which justifies
248 temporary placement of such person on the antitrust violator
249 vendor list until such proceeding has concluded.

250 2. If the Attorney General determines probable cause
251 exists, the Attorney General shall notify the person in writing
252 of its intent to temporarily place the name of that person on
253 the antitrust violator vendor list, and of the person's right to
254 a hearing, the procedure that must be followed, and the
255 applicable time requirements. If the person does not request a
256 hearing, the Attorney General shall enter a final order
257 temporarily placing the name of the person on the antitrust
258 violator vendor list. A person may be placed on the antitrust
259 violator vendor list only after being provided with a notice of
260 intent from the Attorney General.

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261 3. Within 21 days after receipt of the notice of intent,
262 the person may file a petition for a formal hearing pursuant to
263 ss. 120.569 and 120.57(1) to determine whether it is in the
264 public interest for the person to be temporarily placed on the
265 antitrust violator vendor list. A person may not file a petition
266 for an informal hearing under s. 120.57(2). The procedures of
267 chapter 120 shall apply to any formal hearing under this
268 paragraph.

269 4. In determining whether it is in the public interest to
270 place a person on the antitrust violator vendor list under this
271 paragraph, the administrative law judge shall consider the
272 following factors:

273 a. The likelihood the person will be convicted or held
274 civilly liable for the antitrust violation.

275 b. The nature and details of the antitrust violation.

276 c. The degree of culpability of the person proposed to be
277 placed on the antitrust violator vendor list.

278 d. The needs of public entities for additional competition
279 in the procurement of goods and services in their respective
280 markets.

281 e. The effect of the antitrust violations on Floridians.

282 5. The Attorney General has the burden to prove that it is
283 in the public interest for the person to whom it has given
284 notice under this paragraph to be temporarily placed on the
285 antitrust violator vendor list. Unless the administrative law

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286 judge determines that it is in the public interest to
287 temporarily place a person on the antitrust violator vendor
288 list, that person shall not be placed on the antitrust violator
289 vendor list.

290 6. This paragraph does not apply to affiliates.

291 (e)1. A person or an affiliate may be removed from the
292 antitrust violator vendor list subject to such terms and
293 conditions as may be prescribed by the administrative law judge
294 upon a determination that removal is in the public interest. In
295 determining whether removal is in the public interest, the
296 administrative law judge must consider any relevant factors,
297 including, but not limited to, the factors identified in
298 subparagraph (c)3. Upon proof that a person was found not guilty
299 or not civilly liable, the antitrust violation case was
300 dismissed, the court entered a finding in the person's favor,
301 the person's conviction or determination of liability has been
302 reversed on appeal, or the person has been pardoned, the
303 administrative law judge shall determine that removal of the
304 person or an affiliate of that person from the antitrust
305 violator vendor list is in the public interest. A person or an
306 affiliate on the antitrust violator vendor list may petition for
307 removal from the list no sooner than 6 months after the date a
308 final order is entered pursuant to this section but may petition
309 for removal at any time if the petition is based upon a reversal
310 of the conviction or liability on appellate review or pardon.

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311 The petition must be filed with the department, and the
312 proceeding must be conducted pursuant to the procedures and
313 requirements of this subsection.

314 2. If the petition for removal is denied, the person or
315 affiliate may not petition for another hearing on removal for a
316 period of 9 months after the date of denial unless the petition
317 is based upon a reversal of the conviction on appellate review
318 or a pardon. The department may petition for removal before the
319 expiration of such period if, in its discretion, it determines
320 that removal is in the public interest.

321 (4) The conviction of a person or a person being held
322 civilly liable for an antitrust violation, or placement on the
323 antitrust violator vendor list, does not affect any rights or
324 obligations under any contract, franchise, or other binding
325 agreement that predates such conviction, finding of civil
326 liability, or placement on the antitrust violator vendor list.

327 (5) A person who has been placed on the antitrust violator
328 vendor list is not a qualified applicant for economic incentives
329 under chapter 288, and such person shall not be qualified to
330 receive such economic incentives. This subsection does not apply
331 to economic incentives that are awarded before a person is
332 placed on the antitrust violator vendor list or before July 1,
333 2021.

334 (6) This section does not apply to:

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335 (a) Any activity regulated by the Public Service
336 Commission;

337 (b) The purchase of goods or services made by any public
338 entity from the Department of Corrections, from the nonprofit
339 corporation organized under chapter 946, or from any qualified
340 nonprofit agency for the blind or other severely handicapped
341 persons under ss. 413.032-413.037; or

342 (c) Any contract with a public entity to provide any goods
343 or services for emergency response efforts related to a state of
344 emergency declaration issued by the Governor.

345 (7) This section may only be enforced to the extent not
346 inconsistent with federal law and notwithstanding any other
347 provision of state law.

348 Section 4. Section 501.2041, Florida Statutes, is created
349 to read:

350 501.2041 Unlawful acts and practices by social media
351 platforms.-

352 (1) As used in this section, the term:

353 (a) "Algorithm" means a mathematical set of rules that
354 specifies how a group of data behaves and that will assist in
355 ranking search results and maintaining order or that is used in
356 sorting or ranking content or material based on relevancy or
357 other factors instead of using published time or chronological
358 order of such content or material.

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359 (b) "Censor" includes any action taken by a social media
360 platform to delete, regulate, restrict, edit, alter, inhibit the
361 publication or republication of, suspend a right to post,
362 remove, or post an addendum to any content or material posted by
363 a user. The term also includes actions to inhibit the ability of
364 a user to be viewable by or to interact with another user of the
365 social media platform.

366 (c) "Deplatform" means the action or practice by a social
367 media platform to permanently delete or ban a user or to
368 temporarily delete or ban a user from the social media platform
369 for more than 14 days.

370 (d) "Journalistic enterprise" means an entity doing
371 business in Florida that:

372 1. Publishes in excess of 100,000 words available online
373 with at least 50,000 paid subscribers or 100,000 monthly active
374 users;

375 2. Publishes 100 hours of audio or video available online
376 with at least 100 million viewers annually;

377 3. Operates a cable channel that provides more than 40
378 hours of content per week to more than 100,000 cable television
379 subscribers; or

380 4. Operates under a broadcast license issued by the
381 Federal Communications Commission.

382 (e) "Post-prioritization" means action by a social media
383 platform to place, feature, or prioritize certain content or

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384 material ahead of, below, or in a more or less prominent
385 position than others in a newsfeed, a feed, a view, or in search
386 results. The term does not include post-prioritization of
387 content and material of a third party, including other users,
388 based on payments by that third party, to the social media
389 platform.

390 (f) "Shadow ban" means action by a social media platform,
391 through any means, whether the action is determined by a natural
392 person or an algorithm, to limit or eliminate the exposure of a
393 user or content or material posted by a user to other users of
394 the social media platform. This term includes acts of shadow
395 banning by a social media platform which are not readily
396 apparent to a user.

397 (g) "Social media platform" means any information service,
398 system, Internet search engine, or access software provider
399 that:

400 1. Provides or enables computer access by multiple users
401 to a computer server, including an Internet platform or a social
402 media site;

403 2. Operates as a sole proprietorship, partnership, limited
404 liability company, corporation, association, or other legal
405 entity;

406 3. Does business in the state; and

407 4. Satisfies at least one of the following thresholds:

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408 a. Has annual gross revenues in excess of \$100 million, as
409 adjusted in January of each odd-numbered year to reflect any
410 increase in the Consumer Price Index.

411 b. Has at least 100 million monthly individual platform
412 participants globally.

413 (h) "User" means a person who resides or is domiciled in
414 this state and who has an account on a social media platform,
415 regardless of whether the person posts or has posted content or
416 material to the social media platform.

417 (2) A social media platform that fails to comply with any
418 of the provisions of this subsection commits an unfair or
419 deceptive act or practice as specified in s. 501.204.

420 (a) A social media platform must publish the standards,
421 including detailed definitions, it uses or has used for
422 determining how to censor, deplatform, and shadow ban.

423 (b) A social media platform must apply censorship,
424 deplatforming, and shadow banning standards in a consistent
425 manner among its users on the platform.

426 (c) A social media platform must inform each user about
427 any changes to its user rules, terms, and agreements before
428 implementing the changes and may not make changes more than once
429 every 30 days.

430 (d) A social media platform may not censor or shadow ban a
431 user's content or material or deplatform a user from the social
432 media platform:

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433 1. Without notifying the user who posted or attempted to
434 post the content or material; or

435 2. In a way that violates this part.

436 (e) A social media platform must:

437 1. Provide a mechanism that allows a user to request the
438 number of other individual platform participants who were
439 provided or shown the user's content or posts.

440 2. Provide, upon request, a user with the number of other
441 individual platform participants who were provided or shown
442 content or posts.

443 (f) A social media platform must:

444 1. Categorize algorithms used for post-prioritization and
445 shadow banning.

446 2. Allow a user to opt out of post-prioritization and
447 shadow banning algorithm categories to allow sequential or
448 chronological posts and content.

449 (g) A social media platform must provide users with an
450 annual notice on the use of algorithms for post-prioritization
451 and shadow banning and reoffer annually the opt-out opportunity
452 in subparagraph (f)2.

453 (h) A social media platform may not apply or use post-
454 prioritization or shadow banning algorithms for content and
455 material posted by or about a user who is known by the social
456 media platform to be a candidate as defined in s. 106.011(3)(e),
457 beginning on the date of qualification and ending on the date of

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458 the election or the date the candidate ceases to be a candidate.
459 Post-prioritization of certain content or material from or about
460 a candidate for office based on payments to the social media
461 platform by such candidate for office or a third party is not a
462 violation of this paragraph. A social media platform must
463 provide each user a method by which the user may be identified
464 as a qualified candidate and which provides sufficient
465 information to allow the social media platform to confirm the
466 user's qualification by reviewing the website of the Division of
467 Elections or the website of the local supervisor of elections.

468 (i) A social media platform must allow a user who has been
469 deplatformed to access or retrieve all of the user's
470 information, content, material, and data for at least 60 days
471 after the user receives the notice required under subparagraph
472 (d)1.

473 (j) A social media platform may not take any action to
474 ensor, deplatform, or shadow ban a journalistic enterprise
475 based on the content of its publication or broadcast. Post-
476 prioritization of certain journalistic enterprise content based
477 on payments to the social media platform by such journalistic
478 enterprise is not a violation of this paragraph. This paragraph
479 does not apply if the content or material is obscene as defined
480 in s. 847.001.

481 (3) For purposes of subparagraph (2) (d)1., a notification
482 must:

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- 483 (a) Be in writing.
- 484 (b) Be delivered via electronic mail or direct electronic
485 notification to the user within 7 days after the censoring
486 action.
- 487 (c) Include a thorough rationale explaining the reason
488 that the social media platform censored the user.
- 489 (d) Include a precise and thorough explanation of how the
490 social media platform became aware of the censored content or
491 material, including a thorough explanation of the algorithms
492 used, if any, to identify or flag the user's content or material
493 as objectionable.
- 494 (4) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this section,
495 a social media platform is not required to notify a user if the
496 censored content or material is obscene as defined in s.
497 847.001.
- 498 (5) If the department, by its own inquiry or as a result
499 of a complaint, suspects that a violation of this section is
500 imminent, occurring, or has occurred, the department may
501 investigate the suspected violation in accordance with this
502 part. Based on its investigation, the department may bring a
503 civil or administrative action under this part. For the purpose
504 of bringing an action pursuant to this section, ss. 501.211 and
505 501.212 do not apply.
- 506 (6) A user may only bring a private cause of action for
507 violations of paragraph (2) (b) or subparagraph (2) (d)1. In a

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508 private cause of action brought under paragraph (2)(b) or
509 subparagraph (2)(d)1., the court may award the following
510 remedies to the user:

511 (a) Up to \$100,000 in statutory damages per proven claim.

512 (b) Actual damages.

513 (c) If aggravating factors are present, punitive damages.

514 (d) Other forms of equitable relief, including injunctive
515 relief.

516 (e) If the user was deplatformed in violation of paragraph
517 (2)(b), costs and reasonable attorney fees.

518 (7) For purposes of bringing an action in accordance with
519 subsections (5) and (6), each failure to comply with the
520 individual provisions of subsection (2) shall be treated as a
521 separate violation, act, or practice. For purposes of bringing
522 an action in accordance with subsections (5) and (6), a social
523 media platform that censors, shadow bans, deplatforms, or
524 applies post-prioritization algorithms to candidates and users
525 in the state is conclusively presumed to be both engaged in
526 substantial and not isolated activities within the state and
527 operating, conducting, engaging in, or carrying on a business,
528 and doing business in this state, and is therefore subject to
529 the jurisdiction of the courts of the state.

530 (8) In an investigation by the department into alleged
531 violations of this section, the department's investigative
532 powers include, but are not limited to, the ability to subpoena

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533 any algorithm used by a social media platform related to any
534 alleged violation.

535 (9) This section may only be enforced to the extent not
536 inconsistent with federal law and 47 U.S.C. s. 230(e)(3), and
537 notwithstanding any other provision of state law.

538 Section 5. Subsection (2) of section 501.212, Florida
539 Statutes, is amended to read:

540 501.212 Application.—This part does not apply to:

541 (2) Except as provided in s. 501.2041, a publisher,
542 broadcaster, printer, or other person engaged in the
543 dissemination of information or the reproduction of printed or
544 pictorial matter, insofar as the information or matter has been
545 disseminated or reproduced on behalf of others without actual
546 knowledge that it violated this part.

547 Section 6. If any provision of this act or the application
548 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the
549 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of
550 the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision
551 or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are
552 declared severable.

553 Section 7. This act shall take effect July 1, 2021.
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556 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

557 Remove lines 2-4 and insert:

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558 | An act relating to social media platforms; providing
559 | legislative findings; creating s. 106.072, F.S.; defining
560 | terms; prohibiting a social media platform from willfully
561 | deplatforming a

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