Bill No. HB 1423 (2023)

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 COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

 ADOPTED
 (Y/N)

 ADOPTED AS AMENDED
 (Y/N)

 ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION
 (Y/N)

 FAILED TO ADOPT
 (Y/N)

 WITHDRAWN
 (Y/N)

 OTHER
 (Y/N)

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee

Representative Fine offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert: Section 1. Section 255.70, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

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255.70 Public permitting.-

(1) As used in this section, the term "governmental

11 entity" means any state, county, district, or municipal officer,

12 department, division, board, bureau, commission, or other

13 separate unit of government created or established by law and

14 any other public or private agency, person, partnership, or

15 <u>corporation or business entity acting on behalf of any public</u>

16 <u>agency</u>.

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17	(2) A governmental entity may not issue a permit or		
18	otherwise authorize a person to conduct a performance in		
19	violation of s. 827.11.		
20	(3) If a violation of s. 827.11 occurs for a lawfully		
21	issued permit or other authorization, the individual who was		
22	issued the permit or other authorization commits a misdemeanor		
23	of the first degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s.		
24	775.083.		
25	Section 2. Subsection (10) is added to section 509.261,		
26	Florida Statutes, to read:		
27	509.261 Revocation or suspension of licenses; fines;		
28	procedure		
29	(10)(a) The division may fine, suspend, or revoke the		
30	license of any public lodging establishment or public food		
31	service establishment if the establishment admits a child to an		
32	adult live performance, in violation of s. 827.11.		
33	(b) A violation of this subsection constitutes an		
34	immediate serious danger to the public health, safety, or		
35	welfare for the purposes of s. 120.60(6).		
36	(c) Notwithstanding subsection (1), the division may issue		
37	a \$5,000 fine for an establishment's first violation of this		
38	subsection.		
39	(d) Notwithstanding subsection (1), the division may issue		
40	a \$10,000 fine for an establishment's second or subsequent		
41	violation of this subsection.		
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42	Section 3. Paragraph (1) is added to subsection (1) of		
43	section 561.29, Florida Statutes, to read:		
44	561.29 Revocation and suspension of license; power to		
45	subpoena		
46	(1) The division is given full power and authority to		
47	revoke or suspend the license of any person holding a license		
48	under the Beverage Law, when it is determined or found by the		
49	division upon sufficient cause appearing of:		
50	(1) Maintaining a licensed premises that admits a child to		
51	an adult live performance in violation of s. 827.11.		
52	1. A violation of this paragraph constitutes an immediate,		
53	serious danger to the public health, safety, or welfare for the		
54	purposes of s. 120.60(6).		
55	2. The division may issue a \$5,000 fine for a first		
56	violation of this paragraph.		
57	3. The division may issue a \$10,000 fine for a second or		
58	subsequent violation of this paragraph.		
59	Section 4. Section 827.11, Florida Statutes, is created to		
60	read:		
61	827.11 Exposing children to an adult live performance		
62	(1) As used in this section, the term:		
63	(a) "Adult live performance" means any show, exhibition,		
64	or other presentation in front of a live audience which, in		
65	whole or in part, depicts or simulates nudity, sexual conduct,		
66	sexual excitement, or specific sexual activities as those terms		
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67	are defined in s. 847.001, lewd conduct, or the lewd exposure of
68	prosthetic or imitation genitals or breasts when it:
69	1. Predominantly appeals to a prurient, shameful, or
70	morbid interest;
71	2. Is patently offensive to prevailing standards in the
72	adult community of this state as a whole with respect to what is
73	suitable material or conduct for the age of the child present;
74	and
75	3. Taken as a whole, is without serious literary,
76	artistic, political, or scientific value for the age of the
77	child present.
78	(b) "Knowingly" means having general knowledge of, reason
79	to know, or a belief or ground for belief which warrants further
80	inspection or inquiry of both:
81	1. The character and content of any adult live performance
82	described in this section which is reasonably susceptible of
83	examination by the defendant; and
84	2. The age of the child.
85	(2) A person's ignorance of a child's age, a child's
86	misrepresentation of his or her age, or a bona fide belief of a
87	child's consent may not be raised as a defense in a prosecution
88	for a violation of this section.
89	(3) A person may not knowingly admit a child to an adult
90	live performance.
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91	(4) A violation of subsection (3) constitutes a		
92	misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable as provided in s.		
93	775.082 or s. 775.083.		
94	Section 5. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.		
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97	TITLE AMENDMENT		
98	Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:		
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100	A bill to be entitled		
101	An act relating to the protection of children;		
102	creating s. 255.70, F.S.; defining the term		
103	"governmental entity"; prohibiting a governmental		
104	entity from issuing a permit or otherwise authorizing		
105	a person to conduct a performance in violation of		
106	specified provisions; providing criminal penalties;		
107	amending s. 509.261, F.S.; authorizing the Division of		
108	Hotels and Restaurants of the Department of Business		
109	and Professional Regulation to fine, suspend, or		
110	revoke the license of any public lodging establishment		
111	or public food service establishment if the		
112	establishment admits a child to an adult live		
113	performance; specifying that a specified violation		
114	constitutes an immediate, serious danger to the public		
115	health, safety, or welfare; authorizing the division		
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116	to issue specified fines for first, second, and
117	subsequent violations of certain provisions; amending
118	s. 561.29, F.S.; specifying that the Division of
119	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of
120	Business and Professional Regulation is given full
121	power and authority to revoke or suspend the license
122	of any person issued under the Beverage Law when it is
123	determined or found by the division upon sufficient
124	cause appearing that he or she is maintaining a
125	licensed premises that admits a child to an adult live
126	performance; specifying that a specified violation
127	constitutes an immediate serious danger to the public
128	health, safety, or welfare; authorizing the division
129	to issue specified fines for first, second, and
130	subsequent violations of certain provisions; creating
131	s. 827.11, F.S.; defining the terms "adult live
132	performance" and "knowingly"; prohibiting the raising
133	of specified arguments as a defense in a prosecution
134	for certain violations; prohibiting a person from
135	knowingly admitting a child to an adult live
136	performance; providing criminal penalties; providing
137	an effective date.

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