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Senator Grall moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Delete lines 138 - 553

and insert:

(f) A treaty that has been ratified by the United States and is in effect.

(3) A court, administrative law judge, hearing officer, agency, arbitration panel, or any other authority or tribunal established by law or agreement of the parties may not apply any provision of foreign law or religious law that would result in a violation of a person's rights guaranteed by the United States



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12 Constitution or the State Constitution.

13 (4) A court may not enforce a foreign judgment or order  
14 that is the result of the application of any provision of  
15 foreign law or religious law which is inconsistent with a  
16 person's rights guaranteed by the United States Constitution or  
17 the State Constitution or which violates the public policy of  
18 the United States or this state by being repugnant to  
19 fundamental principles of what is decent and just.

20 (5) A court, administrative law judge, hearing officer,  
21 agency, arbitration panel, or any other authority or tribunal  
22 established by law or agreement of the parties may not enforce a  
23 choice of law clause of a contract to the extent that the  
24 provision will result in a violation of a person's rights  
25 guaranteed by the United States Constitution or the State  
26 Constitution.

27 (6) A court may not enforce a forum selection clause of a  
28 contract which will likely result in the violation of a person's  
29 rights guaranteed by the United States Constitution or the State  
30 Constitution.

31 (7) This section does not apply to the governance,  
32 administration, or adjudication of ecclesiastical matters of a  
33 religious organization, including, but not limited to:

34 (a) The selection, appointment, discipline, or removal of  
35 employees or clergy.

36 (b) The interpretation of doctrine.

37 Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 617.1420, Florida  
38 Statutes, is amended to read:

39 617.1420 Grounds for administrative dissolution.—

40 (1) The Department of State may commence a proceeding under



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41 s. 617.1421 to administratively dissolve a corporation if:

42 (a) The corporation has failed to file its annual report  
43 and pay the annual report filing fee by 5 p.m. Eastern Time on  
44 the third Friday in September;

45 (b) The corporation is without a registered agent or  
46 registered office in this state for 30 days or more;

47 (c) The corporation does not notify the Department of State  
48 within 30 days after its registered agent or registered office  
49 has been changed, after its registered agent has resigned, or  
50 after its registered office has been discontinued;

51 (d) The corporation has failed to answer truthfully and  
52 fully, within the time prescribed by this act, interrogatories  
53 propounded by the Department of State; ~~or~~

54 (e) The corporation's period of duration stated in its  
55 articles of incorporation has expired; or

56 (f) The corporation has been designated as a domestic  
57 terrorist organization or foreign terrorist organization  
58 pursuant to s. 943.03102, such designation has been published in  
59 the Florida Administrative Register, and any timely judicial  
60 challenge under that section has been resolved against the  
61 organization.

62 Section 3. Subsections (1) and (3) of section 775.30,  
63 Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

64 775.30 Terrorism; defined; penalties.—

65 (1) As used in this chapter and the Florida Criminal Code,  
66 the term:

67 (a) terms "Terrorism" or "terrorist activity" means mean an  
68 activity that:

69 1.(a) Involves:



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70           ~~a.1.~~ A violent act or an act dangerous to human life which  
71 is a violation of the criminal laws of this state or of the  
72 United States; or

73           ~~b.2.~~ A violation of s. 815.06; and

74           ~~2.(b)~~ Is intended to:

75           ~~a.1.~~ Intimidate, injure, or coerce a civilian population;

76           ~~b.2.~~ Influence the policy of a government by intimidation  
77 or coercion; or

78           ~~c.3.~~ Affect the conduct of government through destruction  
79 of property, assassination, murder, kidnapping, or aircraft  
80 piracy.

81           (b) "Domestic terrorist organization" means an organization  
82 whose designation as such has been published in the Florida  
83 Administrative Register in accordance with s. 943.03102.

84           (3) A person who violates ~~commits a violation of~~ subsection  
85 (2) which results in death or serious bodily injury commits a  
86 life felony, punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083,  
87 or s. 775.084. As used in this subsection, the term "serious  
88 bodily injury" means an injury to a person which creates a  
89 substantial risk of death, serious personal disfigurement, or  
90 protracted loss or impairment of the function of a bodily member  
91 or an organ.

92           Section 4. Paragraphs (c), (d), and (e) of subsection (1)  
93 of section 775.32, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as  
94 paragraphs (d), (e), and (f), respectively, subsections (2),  
95 (3), and (4) are amended, and a new paragraph (c) is added to  
96 subsection (1) of that section, to read:

97           775.32 Use of military-type training provided by a  
98 ~~designated foreign terrorist organizations~~ organization.-



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

100 (c) “Domestic terrorist organization” means an organization  
101 whose designation as such has been published in the Florida  
102 Administrative Register in accordance with s. 943.03102.

103 (2) A person who has received military-type training from a  
104 designated foreign terrorist organization or a domestic  
105 terrorist organization may not use, attempt to use, or conspire  
106 to use such military-type training with the intent to unlawfully  
107 harm another person or damage a critical infrastructure  
108 facility.

109 (3) A person who violates ~~commits a violation of~~ subsection  
110 (2) commits a felony of the second degree, punishable as  
111 provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084.

112 (4) A person who violates ~~commits a violation of~~ subsection  
113 (2) which results in the death of, or serious bodily injury to,  
114 a person commits a felony of the first degree, punishable as  
115 provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084.

116 Section 5. Paragraphs (b) through (e) of subsection (1) of  
117 section 775.33, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as paragraphs  
118 (c) through (f), respectively, subsections (3) and (5) are  
119 amended, and a new paragraph (b) is added to subsection (1) of  
120 that section, to read:

121 775.33 Providing material support or resources for  
122 terrorism or to terrorist organizations.—

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

124 (b) “Domestic terrorist organization” means an organization  
125 whose designation as such has been published in the Florida  
126 Administrative Register in accordance with s. 943.03102.

127 (3) A person who knowingly provides material support or



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128 resources to a designated foreign terrorist organization or a  
129 domestic terrorist organization, or attempts or conspires to do  
130 so, commits a felony of the first degree, punishable as provided  
131 in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084. To violate this  
132 subsection, a person must have knowledge that the organization  
133 is a designated foreign terrorist organization or a domestic  
134 terrorist organization, or that the organization has engaged in  
135 or engages in terrorism or terrorist activity.

136 (5) (a) For purposes of prosecution under subsection (2) or  
137 subsection (3), a person is deemed to provide material support  
138 or resources by providing personnel if the person knowingly  
139 provides, attempts to provide, or conspires to provide himself  
140 or herself or another person to:

141 1. Work under the direction and control of a designated  
142 foreign terrorist organization or a domestic terrorist  
143 organization, or a person engaged in, or intending to engage in,  
144 an act of terrorism; or

145 2. Organize, manage, supervise, or otherwise direct the  
146 operations of a designated foreign terrorist organization or a  
147 domestic terrorist organization, or a person engaged in, or  
148 intending to engage in, an act of terrorism.

149 (b) An individual who acts entirely independently of the  
150 designated foreign terrorist organization or a domestic  
151 terrorist organization, or the person engaged in, or intending  
152 to engage in, an act of terrorism to advance the organization's  
153 or person's goals or objectives is not working under the  
154 direction and control of the designated foreign terrorist  
155 organization or domestic terrorist organization or person  
156 engaged in, or intending to engage in, an act of terrorism.



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157 Section 6. Section 775.34, Florida Statutes, is amended to  
158 read:

159 775.34 Membership in a ~~designated foreign~~ terrorist  
160 organizations organization.—

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

162 (a) “Designated foreign terrorist organization” has the  
163 same meaning as provided in s. 775.32.

164 (b) “Domestic terrorist organization” means an organization  
165 whose designation as such has been published in the Florida  
166 Administrative Register in accordance with s. 943.03102.

167 (2) A person who willfully becomes a member of a designated  
168 foreign terrorist organization or a domestic terrorist  
169 organization and serves under the direction or control of that  
170 organization with the intent to further the illegal acts of the  
171 organization commits a felony of the second degree, punishable  
172 as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084. ~~As used in~~  
173 this section, the term “designated foreign terrorist  
174 organization” has the same meaning as provided in s. 775.32.

175 Section 7. Subsection (7) of section 874.03, Florida  
176 Statutes, is amended to read:

177 874.03 Definitions.—As used in this chapter:

178 (7) “Terrorist organization” means any organized group  
179 engaged in or organized for the purpose of engaging in terrorism  
180 as defined in s. 775.30. The term includes:

181 (a) A domestic terrorist organization whose designation as  
182 such has been published in the Florida Administrative Register  
183 in accordance with s. 943.03102.

184 (b) A foreign terrorist organization whose designation as  
185 such has been published in the Florida Administrative Register



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186 in accordance with s. 943.03102.

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188 This definition does not ~~shall not be construed to~~ prevent  
189 prosecution under this chapter of individuals acting alone.

190 Section 8. Section 943.03102, Florida Statutes, is created  
191 to read:

192 943.03102 Designation of terrorist organizations; effect of  
193 designation.—

194 (1)(a) In order to ensure the safety of this state, and the  
195 safety of the residents of this state, the Chief of Domestic  
196 Security may designate an organization:

197 1. A domestic terrorist organization if the Chief of  
198 Domestic Security finds that the organization meets the  
199 following criteria:

200 a. The organization is based or operates in this state or  
201 the United States.

202 b. The organization is engaging in terrorist activity as  
203 defined in s. 775.30.

204 c. The terrorist activity of the organization is an ongoing  
205 threat to the security of this state or the United States.

206 2. A foreign terrorist organization if the Chief of  
207 Domestic Security finds that the organization meets the  
208 following criteria:

209 a. The organization is designated as a foreign terrorist  
210 organization by the United States Secretary of State pursuant to  
211 s. 219 of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

212 b. The terrorist activity of the organization is an ongoing  
213 threat to the security of this state or the United States.

214 (b) The Chief of Domestic Security must maintain and



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215 publish on the department's website a current list of  
216 organizations that he or she designates as domestic terrorist  
217 organizations or foreign terrorist organizations.

218 (c) At least once every 5 years, the Chief of Domestic  
219 Security must review each designation made under paragraph (a)  
220 which labels an organization a domestic terrorist organization  
221 or a foreign terrorist organization.

222 (2) (a) The Chief of Domestic Security must provide written  
223 notice to the Governor and Cabinet of his or her intent to  
224 designate an organization as a domestic terrorist organization  
225 or a foreign terrorist organization, which notice must be  
226 accompanied by a summary of the basis for such designation.

227 (b) If the organization has a readily discernable location  
228 or office and notice can be delivered or furnished to that  
229 organization safely:

230 1. The notice of intent must be delivered or furnished to  
231 the organization. The written findings regarding the basis for  
232 such designation need not be included with the notice.

233 2. The notice must provide the date, time, and location of  
234 any public meeting regarding the designation.

235 3. The notice must provide information on how to object to  
236 the designation or appeal a designation.

237 (c) If the Governor and Cabinet hold a meeting to consider  
238 the notice of intent, the meeting materials relating to the  
239 notice of intent, excluding information that is confidential,  
240 exempt, or otherwise protected from disclosure by state or  
241 federal law, must be published and made available to the public  
242 consistent with s. 120.525.

243 (d) No earlier than 7 days after receipt of written notice



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244 made pursuant to paragraph (a), the Governor and Cabinet may, by  
245 a majority vote, approve or reject a designation made by the  
246 Chief of Domestic Security under subsection (1).

247 (e) Within 7 days after approval by the Governor and  
248 Cabinet of a designation made by the Chief of Domestic Security  
249 under subsection (1), the Chief of Domestic Security must  
250 publish notice of the designation in the Florida Administrative  
251 Register.

252 (f) Within 30 days after publication of a notice of the  
253 designation in the Florida Administrative Register, the  
254 organization designated as a domestic terrorist organization or  
255 a foreign terrorist organization, or any member of such  
256 organization, may challenge such designation in the circuit  
257 court of the Second Judicial Circuit in and for Leon County. The  
258 court may not compel the public disclosure of any document that  
259 is confidential or exempt under state law or that is  
260 confidential, restricted, or otherwise protected from public  
261 disclosure according to federal law.

262 (3) (a) An organization designated as a domestic terrorist  
263 organization or a foreign terrorist organization may petition  
264 the department, at any time, for the removal of such  
265 designation.

266 (b) At any time, the Governor and Cabinet may remove, by a  
267 majority vote, a designation made by the Chief of Domestic  
268 Security under subsection (1).

269 (4) A state agency, political subdivision, or public school  
270 district authorized to expend state-appropriated funds or levy  
271 ad valorem taxes may not:

272 (a) Expend such funds or taxes to support a foreign



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273 terrorist organization or a domestic terrorist organization, or  
274 a member of such organization, whose designation as such has  
275 been published in the Florida Administrative Register in  
276 accordance with this section.

277 (b) Contract with a foreign terrorist organization or a  
278 domestic terrorist organization.

279 (c) Accept any funds from a foreign terrorist organization  
280 or a domestic terrorist organization, or a member of such  
281 organization, whose designation as such has been published in  
282 the Florida Administrative Register in accordance with this  
283 section. However, this paragraph does not prohibit the  
284 acceptance of funds resulting from fines, penalties,  
285 forfeitures, taxes, or payment for goods or services provided to  
286 the organization or a member of the organization.

287 (5) The department shall adopt rules to implement this  
288 section.

289 Section 9. Paragraph (t) is added to subsection (1) of  
290 section 1002.421, Florida Statutes, to read:

291 1002.421 State school choice scholarship program  
292 accountability and oversight.—

293 (1) PRIVATE SCHOOL ELIGIBILITY AND OBLIGATIONS.—A private  
294 school participating in an educational scholarship program  
295 established pursuant to this chapter must be a private school as  
296 defined in s. 1002.01 in this state, be registered, and be in  
297 compliance with all requirements of this section in addition to  
298 private school requirements outlined in s. 1002.42, specific  
299 requirements identified within respective scholarship program  
300 laws, and other provisions of Florida law that apply to private  
301 schools, and must:



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302       (t) Prohibit:  
303       1. Employment of or contracting with;  
304       2. Ownership or operation by; and  
305       3. Acceptance of funds from  
306  
307 a person or entity that is affiliated with or in any way  
308 controlled by:  
309       a. A foreign terrorist organization whose designation as  
310 such has been published in the Florida Administrative Register  
311 in accordance with s. 943.03102, or a member of such  
312 organization;  
313       b. A criminal gang or a criminal gang member as defined in  
314 s. 874.03;  
315       c. A terrorist organization as defined in s. 874.03;  
316       d. A transnational crime organization, as defined in s.  
317 874.03, or a member of such organization;  
318       e. A domestic terrorist organization as defined in s.  
319 775.32;  
320       f. A person or entity that has:  
321       (I) Provided material support or resources, as defined in  
322 s. 775.33(1), to; or  
323       (II) Received such support or resources from  
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325 a foreign terrorist organization whose designation as such has  
326 been published in the Florida Administrative Register in  
327 accordance with s. 943.03102, or a criminal gang, terrorist  
328 organization, transnational crime organization, or domestic  
329 terrorist organization, as those terms are defined in s. 874.03;  
330       g. A person or entity that has demonstrated a pattern or



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331 practice of supporting or advocating for terrorism as defined in  
332 s. 775.30(1);

333 h. A school program or student group that promotes a  
334 domestic terrorist organization or a foreign terrorist  
335 organization whose designation as such has been published in the  
336 Florida Administrative Register in accordance with s. 943.03102;  
337 or

338 i. A school program or student group that promotes a person  
339 or entity providing material support, as defined in s. 775.33,  
340 to a domestic terrorist organization or a foreign terrorist  
341 organization whose designation as such has been published in the  
342 Florida Administrative Register in accordance with s. 943.03102.

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344 The department shall suspend the payment of funds to a private  
345 school that knowingly fails to comply with this subsection, and  
346 shall prohibit the school from enrolling new scholarship  
347 students, for 1 fiscal year and until the school complies. If a  
348 private school fails to meet the requirements of this subsection  
349 or has consecutive years of material exceptions listed in the  
350 report required under paragraph (q), the commissioner may  
351 determine that the private school is ineligible to participate  
352 in a scholarship program.

353 Section 10. Section 1003.035, Florida Statutes, is created  
354 to read:

355 1003.035 Prohibited expenditures.—A public school,  
356 including a charter school, school district, charter school  
357 administrator, or direct-support organization for any such  
358 school or school district, may not expend any state or federal  
359 funds to promote, support, or maintain any programs or campus



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360 activities that:

361 (1) Promote a domestic terrorist organization or a foreign  
362 terrorist organization whose designation as such has been  
363 published in the Florida Administrative Register in accordance  
364 with s. 943.03102.

365 (2) Promote a person or entity providing material support,  
366 as defined in s. 775.33, to a domestic terrorist organization or  
367 a foreign terrorist organization whose designation as such has  
368 been published in the Florida Administrative Register in  
369 accordance with s. 943.03102.

370 Section 11. Subsection (2) of section 1004.06, Florida  
371 Statutes, is amended to read:

372 1004.06 Prohibited expenditures.-

373 (2)(a) A Florida College System institution, state  
374 university, Florida College System institution direct-support  
375 organization, or state university direct-support organization  
376 may not expend any state or federal funds to promote, support,  
377 or maintain any programs or campus activities that:

378 1.~~(a)~~ Violate s. 1000.05; ~~or~~

379 2.~~(b)~~ Advocate for diversity, equity, and inclusion, or  
380 promote or engage in political or social activism, as defined by  
381 rules of the State Board of Education and regulations of the  
382 Board of Governors; or

383 3. Promote a domestic terrorist organization or a foreign  
384 terrorist organization whose designation as such has been  
385 published in the Florida Administrative Register in accordance  
386 with s. 943.03102.

387 (b) The State Board of Education or the Board of Governors,  
388 as applicable, may withhold performance-based funding of a



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389 Florida College System institution or state university that  
390 violates subparagraph (a)3.

391 (c) Student fees to support student-led organizations are  
392 allowed ~~permitted~~ notwithstanding any speech or expressive  
393 activity by such organizations which would otherwise violate  
394 this subsection, provided that the public funds must be  
395 allocated to student-led organizations pursuant to written  
396 policies or regulations of each Florida College System  
397 institution or state university, as applicable. Use of  
398 institution facilities by student-led organizations is allowed  
399 ~~permitted~~ notwithstanding any speech or expressive activity by  
400 such organizations which would otherwise violate this  
401 subsection, provided that such use must be granted to student-  
402 led organizations pursuant to written policies or regulations of  
403 each Florida College System institution or state university, as  
404 applicable.

405 Section 12. Subsections (3) and (4) are added to section  
406 1006.61, Florida Statutes, to read:

407 1006.61 Participation by students in disruptive activities,  
408 and promotion of foreign terrorist organizations, at public  
409 postsecondary educational institution; penalties.—

410 (3) (a) Pursuant to 8 C.F.R. s. 214.3(g) (2), a public  
411 postsecondary educational institution must report information  
412 relating to the current status of a student who is attending the  
413 institution on a student visa if the student promotes a foreign  
414 terrorist organization or a domestic terrorist organization  
415 whose designation as such has been published in the Florida  
416 Administrative Register in accordance with s. 943.03102.

417 (b) After a student of a state institution of higher



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418 learning has been determined to have promoted a foreign  
419 terrorist organization or a domestic terrorist organization  
420 whose designation as such has been published in the Florida  
421 Administrative Register in accordance with s. 943.03102, such  
422 student shall be immediately expelled from the institution.

423 (4) For purposes of this subsection, to "promote" a foreign  
424 terrorist organization or a domestic terrorist organization  
425 includes making a statement or taking an action that supports,  
426 approves, or encourages a terrorist organization's extralegal  
427 violence and which in context:

428 (a) Is reasonably interpreted as a true threat of unlawful  
429 violence;

430 (b) Materially disrupts the orderly learning environment;  
431 or

432 (c) Involves substantial disorder or the invasion of the  
433 rights of others.

434 Section 13. Section 1009.01, Florida Statutes, is amended  
435 to read:

436 1009.01 Definitions.—The term:

437 (1) "Domestic terrorist organization" means an organization  
438 whose designation as such has been published in the Florida  
439 Administrative Register in accordance with s. 943.03102.

440 (2) "Foreign terrorist organization" means an organization  
441 whose designation as such has been published in the Florida  
442 Administrative Register in accordance with s. 943.03102.

443 (3) "Out-of-state fee" means the additional fee for  
444 instruction charged by a public postsecondary educational  
445 institution in this state, which fee is charged to a student who  
446 does not qualify for the in-state tuition rate pursuant to s.



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447 1009.21. A charge for any other purpose may not be included in  
448 this fee.

449 (4) "Promote" a foreign terrorist organization or a  
450 domestic terrorist organization, or a person or entity providing  
451 material support to such organizations includes making a  
452 statement or taking an action that supports, approves, or  
453 encourages a terrorist organization's extralegal violence and  
454 which in context:

455 (a) Is reasonably interpreted as a true threat of unlawful  
456 violence;

457 (b) Materially disrupts the orderly learning environment;

458 or

459 (c) Involves substantial disorder or the invasion of the  
460 rights of others.

461 (5)-(1) "Tuition" means the basic fee charged to a student  
462 for instruction provided by a public postsecondary educational  
463 institution in this state. A charge for any other purpose may  
464 ~~shall~~ not be included in within this fee.

465 ~~(2) "Out-of-state fee" means the additional fee for~~  
466 ~~instruction provided by a public postsecondary educational~~  
467 ~~institution in this state, which fee is charged to a student who~~  
468 ~~does not qualify for the in-state tuition rate pursuant to s.~~  
469 ~~1009.21. A charge for any other purpose shall not be included~~  
470 ~~within this fee.~~

471 (6)-(3) "Tuition differential" means the supplemental fee

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473 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

474 And the title is amended as follows:

475 Delete lines 6 - 111



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476 and insert:  
477 application or enforcement of certain laws or contract  
478 clauses; providing exceptions; providing  
479 applicability; amending s. 617.1420, F.S.; providing  
480 that the Department of State may administratively  
481 dissolve a corporation that has been designated as a  
482 terrorist organization in certain situations; amending  
483 s. 775.30, F.S.; defining the term "domestic terrorist  
484 organization"; amending s. 775.32, F.S.; defining the  
485 term "domestic terrorist organization"; providing that  
486 a person who receives military training from a  
487 domestic terrorist organization in certain situations  
488 commits a specified crime; amending s. 775.33, F.S.;  
489 defining the term "domestic terrorist organization";  
490 providing a person who knowingly provides or attempts  
491 or conspires to provide material support or resources  
492 to a domestic terrorist organization commits a  
493 specified crime; amending s. 775.34, F.S.; defining  
494 the term "domestic terrorist organization"; providing  
495 that a person who willfully becomes a member of a  
496 domestic terrorist organization and serves under the  
497 direction or control of such organization with a  
498 specified intent commits a specified crime; amending  
499 s. 874.03, F.S.; revising the definition of "terrorist  
500 organization" to include a foreign terrorist  
501 organization and a domestic terrorist organization;  
502 creating s. 943.03102, F.S.; authorizing the Chief of  
503 Domestic Security to designate an organization a  
504 domestic terrorist organization or a foreign terrorist



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505 organization if certain requirements are met;  
506 requiring the Chief to maintain and publish on the  
507 Department of Law Enforcement's website a current list  
508 of such organizations; requiring the Chief to review  
509 each designation within a specified time period;  
510 requiring the Chief to provide specified written  
511 notice to the Governor, the Cabinet, and the  
512 organization of the designation; requiring that  
513 certain meeting materials be published and made  
514 publicly available if the Governor and Cabinet hold a  
515 meeting to consider the notice of intent; providing  
516 that the Governor and the Cabinet may by a majority  
517 vote approve or reject the designation; requiring the  
518 Chief to publish such designation in the Florida  
519 Administrative Register within a specified time period  
520 after approval of the designation by the Governor and  
521 the Cabinet; authorizing a designated organization to  
522 seek judicial review; prohibiting a court from  
523 compelling the public disclosure of certain documents;  
524 providing for removal of such designation in certain  
525 circumstances; prohibiting state agencies, political  
526 subdivisions, and public school districts from  
527 expending certain public funds to support an  
528 organization designated as a domestic terrorist  
529 organization or a foreign terrorist organization,  
530 contracting with a foreign terrorist organization or a  
531 domestic terrorist organization, or accepting funds  
532 from such organizations; providing construction;  
533 requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to adopt



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534 rules; amending s. 1002.421, F.S.; revising  
535 eligibility and obligations of private schools that  
536 participate in the state school choice scholarship  
537 program; creating s. 1003.035, F.S.; prohibiting a  
538 public school from expending certain funds to promote,  
539 support, or maintain certain programs or activities;  
540 amending s. 1004.06, F.S.; prohibiting certain  
541 institutions from expending public funds to promote,  
542 support, or maintain programs or campus activities  
543 that advocate for domestic terrorist organizations or  
544 foreign terrorist organizations; authorizing the  
545 withholding of specified funding of certain  
546 institutions; amending s. 1006.61, F.S.; requiring  
547 public postsecondary educational institutions to  
548 report specified information of a student in certain  
549 circumstances; requiring immediate expulsion of such  
550 student from the institution; defining the term  
551 "promote"; amending s. 1009.01, F.S.; providing  
552 definitions; amending ss. 1009.23 and 1009.24, F.S.;  
553 requiring that certain students of Florida College  
554 System institutions and state universities,  
555 respectively, be immediately expelled and assessed  
556 out-of-state fees after a determination has been made  
557 such students have promoted a domestic terrorist  
558 organization or a foreign terrorist organization;  
559 amending s. 1009.26, F.S.; providing that certain  
560 students of school districts and Florida College  
561 System institutions are ineligible for specified fee  
562 waivers; creating s. 1009.8963, F.S.; prohibiting



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563 students who promote domestic terrorist organization  
564 or foreign terrorist organizations from being awarded  
565 certain public institution funds; providing an  
566 effective date.

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568 WHEREAS, the Legislature finds that the United States and  
569 Florida Constitutions guarantee the free exercise of religion  
570 and that the United States and the State of Florida have a long  
571 and cherished history of protecting religious freedom, and

572 WHEREAS, the United States Supreme Court has acknowledged  
573 that the United States Constitution does not prohibit public  
574 authorities from regulating conduct or actions, even if  
575 motivated by religion, that "have invariably posed some  
576 substantial threat to public safety, peace or order," *Sherbert*  
577 *v. Verner*, 374 U.S. 398, 403 (1963), and

578 WHEREAS, Section 3, Article I of the State Constitution  
579 provides that "[r]eligious freedom shall not justify practices  
580 inconsistent with public morals, peace or safety," and

581 WHEREAS, the Legislature finds that certain practices  
582 inherent in some foreign laws or foreign legal systems violate  
583 fundamental due process rights, deny equal protection of the  
584 laws based on sex or religious belief, or authorize cruel and  
585 unusual punishments, and that such practices are incompatible  
586 with the United States and Florida Constitutions, and

587 WHEREAS, practices of some foreign laws or religious laws  
588 that are incompatible with the United States Constitution, the  
589 State Constitution, or are repugnant to fundamental principles  
590 of what is decent and just include, but are not limited, to  
591 practices that limit the testimony or weight of a woman's



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592 testimony in judicial proceedings and practices that limit the  
593 testimony or weight of a person's testimony in judicial  
594 proceedings due to the person's religious beliefs, and

595 WHEREAS, the Legislature has determined that a public or  
596 private authority or tribunal in the State of Florida should not  
597 apply any foreign law or enforce any foreign judgment or order  
598 or contractual choice of law or forum selection provision that  
599 would result in a violation of a person's rights guaranteed by  
600 the United States Constitution or the State Constitution, NOW,  
601 THEREFORE,