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1 A bill to be entitled  
2 An act relating to virtual currency transfers;  
3 amending s. 48.193, F.S.; providing that requests by a  
4 defendant, regardless of location, to residents of  
5 this state to transfer virtual currency to an account  
6 located outside of this state subjects the defendant  
7 to the jurisdiction of the state courts; providing an  
8 effective date.  
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10 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:  
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12 Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 48.193, Florida  
13 Statutes, is amended to read:

14 48.193 Acts subjecting person to jurisdiction of courts of  
15 state.—

16 (2) A defendant who is engaged in substantial and not  
17 isolated activity within this state, whether such activity is  
18 wholly interstate, intrastate, or otherwise, is subject to the  
19 jurisdiction of the courts of this state, regardless of whether  
20 ~~or not~~ the claim arises from that activity. Such activity  
21 includes, but is not limited to, a request by a defendant,  
22 regardless of his or her location, to a resident of this state  
23 to transfer virtual currency as defined in s. 560.103 to an  
24 account located outside of this state.

25 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2026.