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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to prohibited places for

An act relating to prohibited places for weapons and firearms; amending s. 790.06, F.S.; authorizing an elected member of a specified governing body who holds a license to carry a handgun or a concealed weapon or firearm to carry a concealed weapon or firearm to a meeting of the governing body of which he or she is a member; providing an effective date.

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Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (12) of section 790.06, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

790.06 License to carry concealed weapon or firearm.—

- (12)(a) A license issued under this section does not authorize any person to openly carry a handgun or carry a concealed weapon or firearm into:
  - 1. Any place of nuisance as defined in s. 823.05;
  - 2. Any police, sheriff, or highway patrol station;
  - 3. Any detention facility, prison, or jail;
  - 4. Any courthouse;
- 5. Any courtroom, except that nothing in this section would preclude a judge from carrying a concealed weapon or determining who will carry a concealed weapon in his or her courtroom;

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6. Any polling place;

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- 7. Any meeting of the governing body of a county, public school district, municipality, or special district, except that nothing in this section would preclude an elected member of the governing body of a county, public school district, municipality, or special district from carrying a concealed weapon or firearm to a meeting of the governing body of which he or she is a member;
  - 8. Any meeting of the Legislature or a committee thereof;
- 9. Any school, college, or professional athletic event not related to firearms;
- 10. Any elementary or secondary school facility or administration building;
  - 11. Any career center;
- 12. Any portion of an establishment licensed to dispense alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises, which portion of the establishment is primarily devoted to such purpose;
- 13. Any college or university facility unless the licensee is a registered student, employee, or faculty member of such college or university and the weapon is a stun gun or nonlethal electric weapon or device designed solely for defensive purposes and the weapon does not fire a dart or projectile;
- 14. The inside of the passenger terminal and sterile area of any airport, provided that no person shall be prohibited from

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carrying any legal firearm into the terminal, which firearm is encased for shipment for purposes of checking such firearm as baggage to be lawfully transported on any aircraft; or

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- 15. Any place where the carrying of firearms is prohibited by federal law.
  - Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020.

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