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An act relating to reentry into state by certain persons; creating s. 877.28, F.S.; prohibiting entry or presence within the state of persons denied admission, excluded, deported, or removed unless the United States Attorney General consents to admission or federal law does not require advance consent; providing criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 877.28, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

877.28 Reentry into state after removal.— Any person who pursuant to 8 U.S.C. ss. 1151 et seq. has been denied admission, excluded, deported, or removed or has departed the United States while an order of exclusion, deportation, or removal is outstanding, and thereafter enters or is at any time found in the state, unless prior to his or her reembarkation at a place outside the United States or his or her application for admission from foreign contiguous territory, the United States Attorney General has expressly consented to such person's reapplying for admission; or with respect to a person previously denied admission and removed, unless such person establishes that he or she was not required to obtain such advance consent

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under federal law, commits a felony of the third degree,
punishable is provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084.

Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2016.

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