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An act relating to criminal offenders; creating s. 775.32, F.S.; providing definitions; authorizing sheriffs to assess fees for registering and reregistering specified types of offenders subject to registration requirements; specifying maximum fees; providing requirements for use of fees; providing for relocation of registrants; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 794.0115, F.S., creating designation of "serious sexual felony offender;" providing an additional mandatory term of imprisonment for specified offenses committed by serious sexual felony offenders; amending ss. 943.0435 and 944.606, F.S.; revising the definition of "sexual offender" to include persons convicted of a specified prostitutionrelated offense; amending s. 948.001, F.S.; revising definition of "sex offender probation" or "sex offender community control" to include cross-reference to s. 948.30, F.S.; amending s. 948.30, F.S.; applying additional conditions for sex offender probation and community control to certain offenders who commit qualifying offenses after a specified date; providing that such conditions need not be pronounced orally at the time of sentencing; providing that such conditions may be applied to other relevant offenders; requiring that conditions be orally pronounced when applied to

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Section 1. Section 775.32, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

775.32 Offender registration fees.—

- (1) As used in this section, the term:
- (a) "Career offender" means an offender that qualifies for registration under s. 775.261.
- (b) "Convicted felon" means an offender that qualifies for registration under s. 775.13.
- (c) "Sexual offender" means an offender who is designated as a sexual offender that qualifies for registration under s. 943.0435.
- (d) "Sexual predator" means an offender designated as a sexual predator that qualifies for registration under s. 775.21.
- (e) "Registration year" means the 12-month period beginning on the first day of the offender's birth month.
- (2) The sheriff of each county may charge registration fees for sexual predators, sexual offenders, career offenders, and convicted felons for the initial registration, reregistration, and registration updates with that sheriff.

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Annual fees during a registration year may not exceed \$200 per sexual predator, \$100 per sexual offender, \$50 per career offender, or \$25 per felony offender. If an individual is required to register for multiple categories, only the highest fee shall be imposed.

- (3) The sheriff may not refuse to register a person, register a new residence address of a person, or verify the current residence address of a person, who does not pay a fee required under this section.
- (4) Each sexual predator, sexual offender, career offender, or convicted felon required to register and pay a fee as provided under this section shall remit payment when the person reports to the sheriff's office in the county in which the person resides or is otherwise located.
- (5) All funds retained by the sheriff pursuant to this section shall be credited to a special fund of the sheriff's office which shall be used solely for law enforcement and criminal prosecution purposes and which may not be used as a source of revenue to reduce the amount of funding otherwise made available to the sheriff's office.
- (6) The sheriff may waive the registration or reregistration fee under this section for a person who demonstrates indigency. The sheriff shall document any waiver or alternative fee arrangement in the official registration records of the sheriff's office and shall provide the person with a written copy of any waiver or alternative fee arrangement.

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- (7) If a person has registered with a sheriff during a registration year and subsequently relocates to a different county prior to the conclusion of the registration year, the annual maximum amounts set forth in subsection (2) apply to the sheriff of the county of relocation. The sheriff of the county of relocation shall include any payments already made by the person during the registration year for purposes of determining when the applicable maximum has been met.
- (8) If, after the court makes a finding that the person has the ability to pay, the person knowingly fails to pay a registration fee as required in this section, the person commits a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083. This subsection does not apply if the registration fee is waived under subsection (6).
- Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 794.0115, Florida Statutes is amended, a new subsection (6) is added to that section, and present subsections (6) and (7) are renumbered as subsections (7) and (8), respectively, to read:
- 794.0115 Dangerous <u>and serious</u> sexual felony <u>offenders</u> offender; mandatory sentencing.—
- (1) This section may be cited as the "Dangerous <u>and Serious Sexual Felony Offenders Offender Act."</u>
- (6) Any person who is designated as a sexual predator under s. 775.21, or designated as a sexual offender under ss. 943.0435 or 944.606, or who has a similar designation or is subject to similar registration requirements under the laws of a

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105 another jurisdiction, who commits, on or after October 1, 2016, a felony violation, or an attempt thereof, of s. 393.135(2); s. 394.4593(2); s. 787.01 or s. 787.02, where the victim is a minor; s. 787.06(3)(b), (d), (f), or (g); s. 794.05; s. 810.145(8)(b); s. 847.0133; s. 847.0135, excluding s. 847.0135(6); s. 916.1075(2); or s. 985.701(1),

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is a serious sexual felony offender, who must be sentenced to a mandatory minimum term of 10 years imprisonment.

(7) (6) Notwithstanding s. 775.082(3), chapter 958, any other law, or any interpretation or construction thereof, a person subject to sentencing under this section must be sentenced to the mandatory term of imprisonment provided under this section. If the mandatory minimum term of imprisonment imposed under this section exceeds the maximum sentence authorized under s. 775.082, s. 775.084, or chapter 921, the mandatory minimum term of imprisonment under this section must be imposed. If the mandatory minimum term of imprisonment under this section is less than the sentence that could be imposed under s. 775.082, s. 775.084, or chapter 921, the sentence imposed must include the mandatory minimum term of imprisonment under this section.

(8) (7) A defendant sentenced to a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment under this section is not eligible for statutory gain-time under s. 944.275 or any form of discretionary early release, other than pardon or executive clemency, or conditional

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medical release under s. 947.149, before serving the minimum sentence.

Section 3. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 943.0435, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

943.0435 Sexual offenders required to register with the department; penalty.—

- (1) As used in this section, the term:
- (a)1. "Sexual offender" means a person who meets the criteria in sub-subparagraph a., sub-subparagraph b., sub-subparagraph c., or sub-subparagraph d., as follows:
- a.(I) Has been convicted of committing, or attempting, soliciting, or conspiring to commit, any of the criminal offenses proscribed in the following statutes in this state or similar offenses in another jurisdiction: s. 393.135(2); s. 394.4593(2); s. 787.01, s. 787.02, or s. 787.025(2)(c), where the victim is a minor and the defendant is not the victim's parent or guardian; s. 787.06(3)(b), (d), (f), or (g); former s. 787.06(3)(h); s. 794.011, excluding s. 794.011(10); s. 794.05; former s. 796.03; former s. 796.035; s. 796.05; s. 800.04; s. 810.145(8); s. 825.1025; s. 827.071; s. 847.0133; s. 847.0135, excluding s. 847.0135(6); s. 847.0137; s. 847.0138; s. 847.0145; s. 916.1075(2); or s. 985.701(1); or any similar offense committed in this state which has been redesignated from a former statute number to one of those listed in this sub-sub-subparagraph; and
  - (II) Has been released on or after October 1, 1997, from

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the sanction imposed for any conviction of an offense described in sub-sub-subparagraph (I). For purposes of sub-sub-subparagraph (I), a sanction imposed in this state or in any other jurisdiction includes, but is not limited to, a fine, probation, community control, parole, conditional release, control release, or incarceration in a state prison, federal prison, private correctional facility, or local detention facility;

- b. Establishes or maintains a residence in this state and who has not been designated as a sexual predator by a court of this state but who has been designated as a sexual predator, as a sexually violent predator, or by another sexual offender designation in another state or jurisdiction and was, as a result of such designation, subjected to registration or community or public notification, or both, or would be if the person were a resident of that state or jurisdiction, without regard to whether the person otherwise meets the criteria for registration as a sexual offender;
- c. Establishes or maintains a residence in this state who is in the custody or control of, or under the supervision of, any other state or jurisdiction as a result of a conviction for committing, or attempting, soliciting, or conspiring to commit, any of the criminal offenses proscribed in the following statutes or similar offense in another jurisdiction: s. 393.135(2); s. 394.4593(2); s. 787.01, s. 787.02, or s. 787.025(2)(c), where the victim is a minor and the defendant is

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- 183 not the victim's parent or quardian; s. 787.06(3)(b), (d), (f), or (g); former s. 787.06(3)(h); s. 794.011, excluding s. 184 185 794.011(10); s. 794.05; former s. 796.03; former s. 796.035; s. 796.05; s. 800.04; s. 810.145(8); s. 825.1025; s. 827.071; s. 186 187 847.0133; s. 847.0135, excluding s. 847.0135(6); s. 847.0137; s. 847.0138; s. 847.0145; s. 916.1075(2); or s. 985.701(1); or any 188 189 similar offense committed in this state which has been 190 redesignated from a former statute number to one of those listed
  - d. On or after July 1, 2007, has been adjudicated delinquent for committing, or attempting, soliciting, or conspiring to commit, any of the criminal offenses proscribed in the following statutes in this state or similar offenses in another jurisdiction when the juvenile was 14 years of age or older at the time of the offense:
    - (I) Section 794.011, excluding s. 794.011(10);
  - (II) Section 800.04(4)(a)2. where the victim is under 12 years of age or where the court finds sexual activity by the use of force or coercion;
  - (III) Section 800.04(5)(c)1. where the court finds molestation involving unclothed genitals; or
  - (IV) Section 800.04(5)(d) where the court finds the use of force or coercion and unclothed genitals.
  - 2. For all qualifying offenses listed in sub-subparagraph (1)(a)1.d., the court shall make a written finding of the age of the offender at the time of the offense.

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in this sub-subparagraph; or

For each violation of a qualifying offense listed in this subsection, except for a violation of s. 794.011, the court shall make a written finding of the age of the victim at the time of the offense. For a violation of s. 800.04(4), the court shall also make a written finding indicating whether the offense involved sexual activity and indicating whether the offense involved force or coercion. For a violation of s. 800.04(5), the court shall also make a written finding that the offense did or did not involve unclothed genitals or genital area and that the offense did or did not involve the use of force or coercion.

Section 4. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section 944.606, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

944.606 Sexual offenders; notification upon release.-

- (1) As used in this section:
- (b) "Sexual offender" means a person who has been convicted of committing, or attempting, soliciting, or conspiring to commit, any of the criminal offenses proscribed in the following statutes in this state or similar offenses in another jurisdiction: s. 393.135(2); s. 394.4593(2); s. 787.01, s. 787.02, or s. 787.025(2)(c), where the victim is a minor and the defendant is not the victim's parent or guardian; s. 787.06(3)(b), (d), (f), or (g); former s. 787.06(3)(h); s. 794.011, excluding s. 794.011(10); s. 794.05; former s. 796.03; former s. 796.035; s. 796.05; s. 800.04; s. 810.145(8); s. 825.1025; s. 827.071; s. 847.0133; s. 847.0135, excluding s.

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916.1075(2); or s. 985.701(1); or any similar offense committed in this state which has been redesignated from a former statute number to one of those listed in this subsection, when the department has received verified information regarding such conviction; an offender's computerized criminal history record

Section 5. Subsection (13) of section 948.001, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

948.001 Definitions.—As used in this chapter, the term:

(13) "Sex offender probation" or "sex offender community control" means a form of intensive supervision <u>ordered pursuant to s. 948.30</u>, with or without electronic monitoring, which emphasizes treatment and supervision of a sex offender in accordance with an individualized treatment plan administered by an officer who has a restricted caseload and specialized training. An officer who supervises an offender placed on sex offender probation or sex offender community control must meet as necessary with a treatment provider and polygraph examiner to develop and implement the supervision and treatment plan, if a treatment provider and polygraph examiner specially trained in the treatment and monitoring of sex offenders are reasonably available.

Section 6. A new subsection (1) is added to section 948.30, Florida Statutes, current subsections (1) through (5) are renumbered as subsections (2) through (6), respectively, and

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subsections (7) and (8) are created, to read:

948.30 Additional terms and conditions of probation or community control for certain sex offenses.—

- (1) (a) Except as provided in paragraph (b), conditions imposed pursuant to this section do not require oral pronouncement at the time of sentencing and shall be considered standard conditions of probation or community control for offenders specified in this section.
- (b) An offender who is placed on probation or community control for an offense that does not require additional conditions of probation under subsection (1), subsection (2), subsection (3), subsection (4), or subsection (5) may be required by the sentencing court to comply with any of the special conditions of this section if a review of the record supports a finding that the offense had a sexual component or motivation and the court makes such finding. Conditions imposed by a court in accordance with this paragraph require oral pronouncement.
- (7) Effective for a probationer or community controllee whose crime was committed on or after October 1, 2016, who is designated as a sexual offender or sexual predator at the time of such offense, and who is placed on probation or community control for committing a qualifying offense requiring registration under ss. 775.21, 943.0435, or 944.606, the court shall impose all the special conditions of probation described in subsections (1) through (5).

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(8) Probationers and community controllees subject to this section must be supervised by the Department of Corrections with probation officers who have a caseload of no more than 30 offenders. The probation officers should be trained in sexual offender issues and the operation of electronic monitoring and global tracking.

Section 7. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of this act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end, the provisions of this act are severable.

Section 8. This act shall take effect October 1, 2016.

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