

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to traveling across county lines to
 3 commit criminal offenses; amending s. 843.22, F.S.;
 4 deleting the definition of "burglary"; providing for
 5 reclassification of certain offenses if the person who
 6 commits the offense travels with the intent to commit
 7 the offense in a county other than the person's county
 8 of residence; providing an 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. Section 843.22, Florida Statutes, is amended to
 13 read:

14 843.22 Traveling across county lines with intent to commit
 15 certain offenses ~~a burglary.~~

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

17 ~~(a)~~ "county of residence" means the county within this
 18 state in which a person resides. Evidence of a person's county
 19 of residence includes, but is not limited to:

20 (a)1. The address on a person's driver license or state
 21 identification card.

22 (b)2. Records of real property or mobile home ownership.

23 (c)3. Records of a lease agreement for residential
 24 property.

25 (d)4. The county in which a person's motor vehicle is

26 registered. ~~;~~

27 ~~(e)5.~~ The county in which a person is enrolled in an
 28 educational institution. ~~;~~ ~~and~~

29 ~~(f)6.~~ The county in which a person is employed.

30 ~~(b) "Burglary" means burglary as defined in s. 810.02,~~
 31 ~~including an attempt, solicitation, or conspiracy to commit such~~
 32 ~~offense.~~

33 (2) If a person who commits a grand theft or a forcible
 34 felony, as defined in s. 776.08, ~~burglary~~ travels any distance
 35 with the intent to commit the offense ~~burglary~~ in a county in
 36 this state other than the person's county of residence, the
 37 degree of the offense ~~burglary~~ shall be reclassified to the next
 38 higher degree. For purposes of sentencing under chapter 921 and
 39 determining incentive gain-time eligibility under chapter 944,
 40 an offense a ~~burglary~~ that is reclassified under this section is
 41 ranked one level above the ranking specified in s. 921.0022 or
 42 s. 921.0023 for the offense ~~burglary~~ committed.

43 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.