LAW & ORDER

GOVERNOR DESANTIS IS PROPOSING ANTI-CRIME LEGISLATION TO FURTHER CEMENT FLORIDA AS THE LAW-AND-ORDER STATE.



Protecting Floridians from Fentanyl

- Imposes additional penalties on fentanyl and other drug-related crimes when the drug looks like a piece of candy to further protect Florida children.
- Dedicates \$20 million to support local law enforcement efforts to interdict and apprehend the illicit sale and trafficking of fentanyl.

Keeping Dangerous Criminals Out of Communities

- Limits who is eligible for release prior to first appearance and ensures a judge is the ultimate decision maker when it comes to detention.
- Petitions the Florida Supreme Court to establish a uniform bond schedule that all state courts must follow.
- Requires a detention hearing be held prior to trial for dangerous crimes.

Tougher Penalties

- Reduces number of jurors required for recommendation of death from a unanimous jury to a supermajority.
- Ensures the minimum sentence for all child rapists is life in prison without the possibility of parole and advances reforms to reinstate capital punishment for these crimes.
- Makes attempted sexual misconduct crimes, including sexual battery, ineligible for gain time.

Combatting Human Smuggling

- Dedicates \$5 million to continue successful statewide interdictions which have resulted in more than 200 felony charges, including nearly 40 human smuggling charges.
- Requires law enforcement to report missing persons to the National Missing and Unidentified Persons System.