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- FOR AN ACT relating to human trafficking; to amend section 28-830,
 Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to repeal reporting
 requirements that are no longer needed; to harmonize
 provisions; to repeal the original section; and to
 outright repeal section 28-832, Reissue Revised Statutes
 of Nebraska.
- Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

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1 Section 1. Section 28-830, Reissue Revised Statutes of

- 2 Nebraska, is amended to read:
- 3 28-830 For purposes of sections 28-830 to 28-832, and
- 4 <u>28-831</u>, the following definitions apply:
- 5 (1) Actor means a person who solicits, procures, or
- 6 supervises the services or labor of another person;
- 7 (2) Commercial sexual activity means any sex act on
- 8 account of which anything of value is given, promised to, or received
- 9 by any person;
- 10 (3) Financial harm means theft by extortion as described
- 11 by section 28-513;
- 12 (4) Forced labor or services means labor or services that
- 13 are performed or provided by another person and are obtained or
- 14 maintained through:
- 15 (a) Inflicting or threatening to inflict serious personal
- injury as defined by section 28-318;
- 17 (b) Physically restraining or threatening to physically
- 18 restrain another person;
- 19 (c) Knowingly destroying, concealing, removing,
- 20 confiscating, or possessing any actual or purported passport or other
- 21 immigration document or any other actual or purported government
- 22 identification document of another person; or
- 23 (d) Causing or threatening to cause financial harm to
- 24 another person;
- 25 (5) Labor means work of economic or financial value;

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1 (6) Maintain means, in relation to labor or services, to

- 2 secure continued performance thereof, regardless of any initial
- 3 agreement by the victim to perform such type of service;
- 4 (7) Minor means a person younger than eighteen years of
- 5 age;
- 6 (8) Obtain means, in relation to labor or services, to
- 7 secure performance thereof;
- 8 (9) Services means an ongoing relationship between a
- 9 person and the actor in which the person performs activities under
- 10 the supervision of or for the benefit of the actor. Commercial sexual
- 11 activity and sexually-explicit performances are forms of services
- 12 under this section. Nothing in this subdivision shall be construed to
- 13 legalize prostitution;
- 14 (10) Sexually-explicit performance means a live or public
- 15 play, dance, show, or other exhibition intended to arouse or gratify
- 16 sexual desire or to appeal to prurient interests; and
- 17 (11) Trafficking victim means a person subjected to any
- 18 act or acts prohibited by section 28-831.
- 19 Sec. 2. Original section 28-830, Reissue Revised Statutes
- 20 of Nebraska, is repealed.
- 21 Sec. 3. The following section is outright repealed:
- 22 Section 28-832, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.