

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND MISSING CHILDREN

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO H.B. 2479

(Reference to House engrossed bill)

- 1 Page 2, line 12, strike "~~forty-eight~~ TWENTY-FOUR" insert "forty-eight"
- 2 Line 31, strike "EVERY FOURTEEN CALENDAR DAYS"
- 3 Line 35, after "WORK" insert ", WHEN POSSIBLE,"
- 4 Page 3, line 7, after "PROVIDE" strike remainder of line
- 5 Strike line 8
- 6 Line 9, strike "DIRECT SUPERVISORS OF THESE EMPLOYEES" insert "INITIAL
- 7 TRAINING TO NEWLY HIRED EMPLOYEES. A NEWLY HIRED EMPLOYEE MUST RECEIVE
- 8 THIS INITIAL TRAINING BEFORE ANY CHILDREN ARE ASSIGNED TO THE NEWLY HIRED
- 9 EMPLOYEE'S CASELOAD"
- 10 Page 4, line 20, after "SHALL" strike remainder of line
- 11 Line 21, strike "TO"
- 12 Line 22, strike "UPLOADED TO DEPARTMENT SOFTWARE AND SHALL" insert
- 13 "DISTRIBUTED TO EACH CASEWORKER TO"
- 14 Line 27, after the second "THE" insert "GOVERNOR, THE"
- 15 Line 30, after the period insert "THE NAMES OF MISSING, ABDUCTED OR RUNAWAY
- 16 CHILDREN SHALL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL AND MAY NOT BE DISTRIBUTED OUTSIDE OF
- 17 THE MONTHLY REPORT."
- 18 Between lines 38 and 39, insert:
- 19 "5. ON THE RETURN OF A RUNAWAY CHILD TO THE DEPARTMENT'S CARE, THE
- 20 REASON WHY THE CHILD RAN AWAY."
- 21 Line 40, strike "QUARTERLY" insert "MONTHLY"

1 Page 5, line 1, after "WITH" insert "ALL OF"

2 Between lines 5 and 6, insert:

3 "4. THE PERCENTAGE OF TIMES THE DEPARTMENT WAS IN COMPLIANCE WITH  
4 THE REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED IN SUBSECTIONS A, B, C AND D OF THIS SECTION.

5 M. IF THE REPORT SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION L OF THIS SECTION  
6 SHOWS A LESS THAN NINETY-FIVE PERCENT COMPLIANCE RATE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS  
7 PRESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION L, PARAGRAPH 4 OF THIS SECTION FOR MORE THAN FOUR  
8 CONSECUTIVE OR NONCONSECUTIVE MONTHS IN A TWELVE-MONTH PERIOD, THE  
9 DEPARTMENT SHALL ESTABLISH A MISSING, ABDUCTED AND RUNAWAY CHILDREN UNIT  
10 WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT. THE MISSING, ABDUCTED AND RUNAWAY CHILDREN UNIT  
11 SHALL HAVE AT LEAST FOUR EMPLOYEES WITH AT LEAST ONE EMPLOYEE AVAILABLE  
12 TWENTY-FOUR HOURS A DAY. THE MISSING, ABDUCTED AND RUNAWAY CHILDREN UNIT  
13 MAY ENTER INTO CONTRACTS WITH ANY VENDOR NECESSARY TO ENSURE THE DEPARTMENT  
14 IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS SECTION. IF THE MISSING, ABDUCTED AND RUNAWAY  
15 CHILDREN UNIT IS ESTABLISHED, THE UNIT SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE  
16 GOVERNOR, THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF  
17 REPRESENTATIVES AND THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ON THE  
18 DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SAFETY ESTABLISHED BY SECTION 41-1292. THE REPORT  
19 SHALL DO ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

20 1. IDENTIFY THE REASONS WHY THE DEPARTMENT IS NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH  
21 THE REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED IN SUBSECTIONS A, B, C AND D OF THIS SECTION.

22 2. IDENTIFY THE METHODS BY WHICH THE MISSING, ABDUCTED AND RUNAWAY  
23 CHILDREN UNIT WILL ACHIEVE A NINETY-FIVE PERCENT COMPLIANCE RATE WITH THE  
24 REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED IN SUBSECTIONS A, B, C AND D OF THIS SECTION.

25 3. INCLUDE ORGANIZATIONAL CHANGES THAT THE DEPARTMENT WILL MAKE TO  
26 ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED IN SUBSECTIONS A, B, C  
27 AND D OF THIS SECTION.

28 4. RECOMMEND LEGISLATIVE CHANGES THAT ARE NECESSARY TO ENSURE THE  
29 DEPARTMENT'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED IN SUBSECTIONS A,  
30 B, C AND D OF THIS SECTION."

31 Reletter to conform

Senate Amendments to H.B. 2479

- 1 Page 5, line 20, after the period strike remainder of line
- 2     Strike lines 21 through 24
- 3 Amend title to conform

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