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SENATE ENROLLED ACT No. 357

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 5-2-22 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016]:

Chapter 22. Child Abuse Registry

Sec. 1. The following definitions apply throughout this chapter:

(1) "Crime of child abuse" means:

(A) neglect of a dependent (IC 35-46-1-4) if the dependent is a child and the offense is committed under:

- (i) IC 35-46-1-4(a)(1);**
- (ii) IC 35-46-1-4(a)(2); or**
- (iii) IC 35-46-1-4(a)(3);**

(B) child selling (IC 35-46-1-4(d));

(C) a sex offense (as defined in IC 11-8-8-5.2) committed against a child; or

(D) battery against a child under:

- (i) IC 35-42-2-1(d)(3) (battery on a child);**
- (ii) IC 35-42-2-1(f)(5)(B) (battery causing bodily injury to a child);**
- (iii) IC 35-42-2-1(i) (battery causing serious bodily injury to a child); or**
- (iv) IC 35-42-2-1(j) (battery resulting in the death of a**



child).

(2) "Division" refers to the division of state court administration created under IC 33-24-6-1(b)(2).

(3) "Registry" means the child abuse registry established under section 2 of this chapter.

Sec. 2. Not later than July 1, 2017, the division shall establish and maintain a child abuse registry.

Sec. 3. The registry must contain:

- (1) the name;
- (2) the age;
- (3) the last known city of residence;
- (4) a photograph, if available;
- (5) a description of the crime of child abuse conviction; and
- (6) any other identifying information, as determined by the division;

of every person convicted of a crime of child abuse.

Sec. 4. (a) The division shall publish the registry on the division's Internet web site. The registry must be searchable and available to the public.

(b) The division shall ensure that the registry is updated at least one (1) time every thirty (30) days.

(c) The division shall ensure that the registry displays the following or similar words:

"Based on information submitted to law enforcement, a person whose name appears in this registry has been convicted of a crime of child abuse. However, information on the registry may not be complete."



President of the Senate

President Pro Tempore

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Governor of the State of Indiana

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