

Bill Summary
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Bill Analysis

SB 1773 modifies the penalties associated with child abuse by extending the crime to include any person who engages in or enables the practice. The measure also defines “person responsible for a child’s health, safety or welfare” of a child to mean a parent, legal guardian, foster parent, person 18 years of age who cohabitates with the child’s parent, or any adult who has physical custody or control of the child.

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Fiscal Analysis

FY’21 Impact: Contingent upon convictions and sentencing

Full Year Impact: Contingent upon convictions and sentencing

Introduced– Modifies and expands definitions of persons responsible for engaging in and enabling child abuse, neglect, sexual abuse and sexual exploitation.

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