

**Bill Summary**  
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**Bill Analysis**

SB 2181 establishes a crime for any person who knowingly and willfully removes, entices, or withholds a child under the age of 18 with the intent to interfere with the lawful custody of that child. A person convicted of interference with custody shall be guilty of a felony and subject to a maximum term of imprisonment of 5 years. The measure establishes a misdemeanor and a maximum fine of \$500.00 for any person convicted of enticing a child to leave the custody of the other parent or a person standing in loco parentis to the child. A second offense shall be classified as a felony and subjects the person to a maximum term of imprisonment of 5 years. The measure also establishes a \$500.00 civil fine and doubles the amount for every subsequent offense.

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