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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 761, L.D. 1038, Bill, "An Act to Require That a Person under 16 Years of Age Wear Protective Headgear when Riding a Bicycle"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act to Require That a Person under 15 Years of Age Wear Protective Headgear when Riding a Bicycle'

Further amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 3 in the first line (page 1, line 5 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "16" and inserting in its place the following: '15'

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

FISCAL NOTE

The additional workload and administrative costs associated with the minimal number of new cases filed in the court system can be absorbed within the budgeted resources of the Judicial Department. The collection of additional fines may increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.'

SUMMARY

The amendment is the minority report of the Joint Standing Committee on Transportation. It requires a person under 15 years of age to wear protective headgear when riding a bicycle. The bill required a person under 16 years of age to wear protective headgear when riding a bicycle.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT