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SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 300, L.D. 380, Bill, "An Act To Protect Public Safety Using DNA Data of Juvenile Violent Offenders"

Amend the amendment in section 3 in that part designated "**§1574.**" in subsection 3-A in the last line (page 2, line 29 in amendment) by inserting after the following: "section" the following: 'unless the court finds that there is a low risk that the juvenile will reoffend'

Further amend the amendment in section 3 in that part designated "**§1574.**" in subsection 6 by striking out paragraphs A to N and inserting in their place the following:

'A. Gross sexual assault; or

B. Unlawful sexual contact.'

SUMMARY

The amendment adds language stipulating that if the court determines that there is a low risk that a juvenile will reoffend, then the juvenile does not have to submit to having a DNA sample taken. The amendment also restricts the taking of DNA of a juvenile to the offenses of gross sexual assault or unlawful sexual contact.

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SENATE AMENDMENT