6620 Sponsor(s): Senators Quigley and Oke

Brief Description: Requiring released sex offenders to live at least fifty miles away from their minor victims.

SB 6620 - DIGEST

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Requires that, prior to the release of an offender convicted of a felony sex offense against a minor victim from a department of corrections facility or the department of social and health services special commitment center, the court shall impose and enforce an order prohibiting the offender from living within fifty miles of the current residence of the minor victim unless the court finds such an order would not be in the best interests of the child or the whereabouts of the minor victim cannot be determined.

Authorizes the order to also prohibit the offender from living within a specified distance from schools or child care centers if the court finds such a restriction would enhance public safety.