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5 On page 1, line 9, after "origin" insert "gender,"

6 On page 2, after line 25, insert the following:

7 "The legislature also finds that a hate crime committed against a  
8 victim because of the victim's gender may be identified in the same  
9 manner that a hate crime committed against a victim of another  
10 protected group is identified. Affirmative indications of hatred  
11 towards gender as a class is the predominant factor to consider. Other  
12 factors to consider include the perpetrator's use of language, slurs,  
13 or symbols expressing hatred towards the victim's gender as a class;  
14 the severity of the attack including mutilation of the victim's sexual  
15 organs; a history of similar attacks against victims of the same gender  
16 by the perpetrator or a history of similar incidents in the same area;  
17 a lack of provocation; an absence of any other apparent motivation; and  
18 common sense."

19 On page 2, line 33, after "origin," insert "gender,"

20 On page 3, line 21, after "origin," insert "gender,"

21 On page 3, line 37, after "origin," insert "gender,"

22 On page 4, line 12, after "origin," insert "gender,"

23 On page 17, line 1, after "origin," insert "gender,"

24 **EFFECT:** Gender is added as a protected class. The legislature  
25 makes findings about how a gender-based hate crime should be  
26 identified. Gender-based hate crimes will be identified in the same  
27 manner as other hate crimes are identified. In general, affirmative  
28 indications of hatred towards the victim's gender as a class will  
29 indicate the crime is based on hatred of the victim's gender. The

1 factors used by the National Institute for Justice are applied to  
2 identifying gender-based hate crimes.

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