

SHB 1296 - H AMD TO H AMD (H-1828.2/25) **371**

By Representative Schmick

SCOPE AND OBJECT 03/12/2025

1 On page 5, after line 22 of the striking amendment, insert the
2 following:

3 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 104. A new section is added to chapter 28A.
4 320 RCW to read as follows:

5 (1) School districts are prohibited from permitting an
6 individual who committed a crime listed in subsection (2) of this
7 section from volunteering in a position where they will have
8 regularly scheduled unsupervised access to persons with
9 developmental disabilities or groups of minors as described in RCW
10 28A.400.303(3).

11 (2) Subsection (1) of this section applies upon a guilty plea or
12 conviction for any of the following crimes:

13 (a) Sex offenses including but not limited to rape, indecent
14 exposure, voyeurism, or prostitution involving minors;

15 (b) Any crime involving children;

16 (c) Kidnapping;

17 (d) Drug crimes involving minors and including drug trafficking;

18 (e) Crimes where the individual received a sentence enhancement
19 involving minors, schools, or other facilities involving the
20 education, care, or protection of children;

21 (f) Crimes involving child abuse, neglect, or endangerment;

22 (g) Crimes involving possession, distribution, or production of
23 child pornography or the online solicitation of a minor;

24 (h) Crimes involving child sex trafficking, human trafficking,
25 or luring or enticing a child; or

26 (i) Crimes involving conspiracy to commit, or an accomplice to
27 commit, any crime specified in (a) through (h) of this subsection.

1 (3) This section governs school operation and management under
2 RCW 28A.710.040 and 28A.715.020, and applies to charter schools
3 established under chapter 28A.710 RCW and state-tribal compact
4 schools subject to chapter 28A.715 RCW."

EFFECT: Prohibits school districts, charter schools, and state-tribal compact schools from permitting any individual who committed listed crimes from volunteering in a position where they will have regularly scheduled unsupervised access to small groups of minors or persons with developmental disabilities. Includes the crimes of: sex offenses, any crime involving children, kidnapping, and drug crimes involving minors, among others.

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