

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2026 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Reengrossed House Bill No. 140 by Representative Cox

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "815.1(D)," insert "818(A),"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 3, after "Articles" and before "804(10)," insert "412(Q),"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 3

6 On page 1, line 10, after "815.1(D)," insert "818(A),"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 4

8 On page 1, line 11, after "Articles" and before "804(10)," insert "412(Q),"
9 3146)

10 AMENDMENT NO. 5

11 On page 1, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

12 "Art. 412. Confidentiality of records; disclosure exceptions; sanctions

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14 Q. Nothing in this Section shall prohibit law enforcement officers,
15 prosecuting agencies, or judicial officers from obtaining records relating to
16 delinquency or status offenses proceedings which are relevant to an ongoing
17 delinquency or criminal investigation or proceeding. A court order shall not be
18 necessary for such access. However, the custodian of such records may seek a
19 protective order prohibiting or limiting the disclosure upon a showing of good cause
20 that such protection is necessary in the interests of justice. All such records produced
21 and the information contained therein shall be protected from disclosure by the
22 recipient outside of what is necessary to conduct the investigation, prosecution, or
23 adjudicatory action.

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25 AMENDMENT NO. 6

26 On page 2, below line 27, add the following:

27 "Art. 818. Identification procedures

28 A. (1) A child ~~may~~ shall be photographed or fingerprinted in connection with
29 being taken into custody for the commission of ~~either:~~ a felony-grade delinquent act.

30 ~~(1) A felony-grade delinquent act.~~

31 (2) A child may be photographed or fingerprinted in connection with being
32 taken into custody for the commission of a misdemeanor-grade delinquent act.

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