
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2016 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill No. 719 by Representative Hodges

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "1431(D)" and before the comma "," insert "and to enact "Children's Code Article 1427(C)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 9, after "reenacted" and before "to read" insert "and Children's Code Article 1427(C) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"Art. 1427. Authority to transport and detain

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C.(1) In addition to other persons authorized by this Article to transport to a treatment facility a child in whose name an emergency certificate has been issued, any of the following persons may also accompany the child during such transportation:

(a) A parent, including a foster parent, subject to the conditions of Paragraph (2) of this Subarticle.

(b) A legal guardian.

(c) A Department of Children and Family Services case worker.

(2) A biological parent of a child in foster care shall only accompany the child if approved by the Department of Children and Family Services.

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AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the beginning of line 11, insert "Art."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete lines 13 through 19 in their entirety and delete page 2 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"D. If the examining physician determines that the provisions of this Article are met, he shall execute an emergency certificate and shall transport or cause to be transported the minor named in the emergency certificate to a treatment facility in accordance with the provisions of Article 1427."