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HOUSE BILL 14-1104

HOUSE SPONSORSHIP

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(None),

House Committees

Senate Committees

Judiciary Appropriations

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING PROHIBITING PUBLISHING INTIMATE PHOTOGRAPHS OF 102 AN UNDERAGE PERSON ON THE INTERNET FOR REVENGE.

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries.)

The bill makes it a crime for a person to:

Post or publish a photograph of a person who was under 18 years of age at the time of the photograph showing that person's uncovered genitals, buttocks, anus, or female breasts;

- ! Obtain the photograph during a relationship or sexual encounter with the victim; and
- ! Intend to embarrass, coerce, bully, annoy, harm, or cause emotional distress to the victim.

The crime is a class 5 felony with a mandatory minimum fine of \$10,000, and, upon conviction, the court must order the defendant or the entity where the photos are posted or published to remove the photographs from the internet.

1 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado: 2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 18-7-107 as 3 follows: 4 18-7-107. Posting intimate photographs of underage persons 5 on the internet. (1) A PERSON COMMITS A CLASS 5 FELONY IF THE 6 PERSON: 7 (a) Posts or publishes a photograph of a person under 8 EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE AT THE TIME OF THE PHOTOGRAPH SHOWING 9 THAT PERSON'S UNCOVERED GENITALS, BUTTOCKS, ANUS, OR FEMALE 10 BREASTS; 11 (b) OBTAINS THE PHOTOGRAPH DURING A RELATIONSHIP OR 12 SEXUAL ENCOUNTER WITH THE VICTIM; AND 13 (c) INTENDS TO EMBARRASS, COERCE, BULLY, ANNOY, OR HARM 14 THE VICTIM OR INTENDED TO CAUSE THE VICTIM EMOTIONAL DISTRESS. 15 (2) (a) IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER SENTENCE THE COURT MAY 16 IMPOSE, THE COURT SHALL FINE THE DEFENDANT AT LEAST TEN THOUSAND 17 DOLLARS. 18 (b) IF A PERSON IS CONVICTED OF THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION 19 (1) OF THIS SECTION, THE COURT SHALL ORDER THE PERSON OR THE ENTITY 20 WHERE THE PHOTOS ARE POSTED OR PUBLISHED TO REMOVE ALL 21 PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE VICTIM THAT SHOWS THE VICTIM'S UNCOVERED

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1	GENITALS, BUTTOCKS, ANUS, OR FEMALE BREASTS FROM THE INTERNET.
2	SECTION 2. Potential appropriation. Pursuant to section
3	2-2-703, Colorado Revised Statutes, any bill that results in a net increase
4	in periods of imprisonment in the state correctional facilities must include
5	an appropriation of moneys that is sufficient to cover any increased
6	capital construction and operational costs for the first five fiscal years in
7	which there is a fiscal impact. Because this act may increase periods of
8	imprisonment, this act may require a five-year appropriation.
9	SECTION 3. Effective date - applicability. This act takes effect
10	July 1, 2014, and applies to offenses committed on or after said date.
11	SECTION 4. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds,
12	determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
13	preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

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