

1 AN ACT relating to child abuse or neglect.

2 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

3 ➔SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 199 IS CREATED TO
4 READ AS FOLLOWS:

5 *(1) As used in this section, unless the context otherwise requires:*

6 *(a) "Abused or neglected child" has the same meaning as in KRS 600.020; and*

7 *(b) "Child abuse or neglect perpetrator registry, or "CANPR" means the*
8 *registry for child abuse or neglect established in subsection (2) of this*
9 *section.*

10 *(2) The cabinet shall, by July 1, 2017, establish and operate the CANPR for child*
11 *abuse or neglect. The CANPR shall include the name, age, last known city of*
12 *residence, a photograph if available, a description of the abuse or neglect, and*
13 *any other identifying information determined necessary by the cabinet, of each*
14 *individual:*

15 *(a) Who has been determined by a court under KRS Chapter 620 to be a*
16 *perpetrator of child abuse or neglect; and*

17 *(b) 1. Who waived the right to appeal the determination of a court of child*
18 *abuse or neglect in accordance with Kentucky law or administrative*
19 *regulations; or*

20 *2. Whose court determination was upheld upon appeal.*

21 *(3) The cabinet shall publish the CANPR on its Web site, and it shall be searchable*
22 *and available to the public.*

23 *(4) The cabinet shall update the CANPR every thirty (30) days.*

24 *(5) The cabinet shall ensure that the following statement is displayed on the cabinet*
25 *Web site where the CANPR is published: "Based on information gathered by the*
26 *cabinet, an individual whose name appears on the CANPR has been determined*
27 *by a court under KRS Chapter 620 to be a perpetrator of child abuse or neglect.*

- 1 *However, information on the CANPR may not be complete."*
- 2 *(6) The cabinet shall promulgate administrative regulations to establish and operate*
- 3 *the CANPR, including but not limited to policies and procedures:*
- 4 *(a) For compiling, publishing, and maintaining the information required in*
- 5 *subsection (2) of this section;*
- 6 *(b) For how long an individual shall remain on the CANPR;*
- 7 *(c) For how an individual may be removed from the CANPR; and*
- 8 *(d) To ensure compliance with all other state and federal laws.*
- 9 ➔ Section 2. This Act shall be cited as Kylie Jo Sizemore's Law.