Bill Summary

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Bill Analysis

SB 1265 creates a new offense. Sexual extortion, as defined in the measure, is defined as verbally or by written or printed communication and with intent to cause a person to engage in any sort of sexual activity or to injure the body or reputation of the person. A person found to have committed sexual extortion against a person under the age of 18 shall be guilty of a felony and subject to a term of imprisonment not less than 1 year and not more than 20 years and/or a maximum fine of \$100,000.00. A person found to have committed sexual extortion against a person 18 years of age or older shall be guilty of a felony and subject to a term of imprisonment not more than 5 years and/or a maximum fine of \$10,000.00.

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