

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2025 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 58  
by Senator Connick

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 17 and insert:

**"A. A person commits the crime of child grooming by taking any action to persuade, induce, entice, seduce, or coerce any child under the age of thirteen years to engage in any conduct undertaken with the intent to facilitate the offender committing any lewd or lascivious act upon the child or in the presence of any child under the age of thirteen years.**

**B. In a prosecution under this Section, the finder of fact shall consider all pertinent circumstances in determining whether the state proved beyond a reasonable doubt the intent to facilitate the offender committing any lewd or lascivious act upon the child or in the presence of any child under the age of thirteen years, including but not limited to the following:**

**(1) Whether the offender's conduct with the child was undertaken without the knowledge or consent of a parent or legal guardian of the child.**

**(2) Whether the offender's conduct involved the isolation of the child from others.**

**(3) Whether the offender's conduct involved discussions or actions of a sexual nature with the child or in the presence of the child.**

**C. Whoever commits the crime of child grooming shall be imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for not more than fifteen years."**

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 3