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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Abramson to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 109 by Senator Morrish

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 In House Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and
 3 Procedure and adopted by the House on May 15, 2013, on page 1, delete lines 34 through
 4 41 in their entirety and on page 2, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety and insert the
 5 following:

6 **"(4) During the investigation of a report from a treating health care**
 7 **practitioner of physical abuse of a child who is not in custody of the state, at the**
 8 **request and expense of the child's parent or caregiver the department shall**
 9 **provide copies of all medical information pertaining to the child's condition or**
 10 **treatment obtained during the investigation to a board certified child abuse**
 11 **pediatrician for purposes of conducting an independent review of the**
 12 **information. Any resulting report shall be provided to the department and to**
 13 **the child's parent or caretaker and shall be utilized in the department's on-**
 14 **going assessment of risk and to determine what action may be necessary to**
 15 **protect the health and safety of the child. Nothing in this Subparagraph shall**
 16 **be construed to prohibit granting an instanter removal order pursuant to**
 17 **Children's Code Article 615(B)."**

18 AMENDMENT NO. 2

19 Delete House Committee Amendment No. 6 proposed by the House Committee on Civil
 20 Law and Procedure and adopted by the House on May 15, 2013.