

HOUSE BILL No. 4458

March 6, 1997, Introduced by Reps. McManus, Wallace, Goschka, McBryde, Jelinek, Jaye, Prusi, Tesanovich, Hammerstrom, Green and Jansen and referred to the Committee on Corrections.

A bill to amend 1846 RS 171, entitled
"Of county jails and the regulation thereof,"
(MCL 801.1 to 801.27) by adding section 7a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 7A. (1) AN INMATE SHALL NOT BE ALLOWED TO HAVE VISITS
2 WITH A MINOR WHO IS LESS THAN 18 YEARS OF AGE UNLESS THE MINOR'S
3 PARENT OR GUARDIAN GIVES WRITTEN PERMISSION FOR THE VISIT.
- 4 (2) THE COUNTY SHERIFF MAY COMPILE A LIST, FOR EACH INMATE,
5 IDENTIFYING THOSE MINORS FOR WHOM WRITTEN PERMISSION FOR VISITS
6 WITH THAT INMATE HAS BEEN GRANTED, IN WHICH CASE PERMISSION FOR
7 THE MINOR TO VISIT THAT INMATE MAY REMAIN VALID UNTIL REVOKED BY
8 THE SHERIFF OR THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN.
- 9 (3) THIS SECTION DOES NOT REQUIRE THAT ANY INMATE VISIT BE
10 ALLOWED IF THAT VISIT IS DISALLOWED BY ANOTHER STATUTE OR BY A
11 RULE OR GUIDELINE APPLICABLE TO COUNTY JAILS.