



*Synopsis of House Committee Amendments**

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Expands the offense of "endangering children" to prohibit a person from allowing a child under 18 years of age or a mentally or physically handicapped child under 21 years of age to be within 100 feet of or within the view of any activity involved in the commission of "illegal manufacture of drugs," "illegal cultivation of marihuana," or "illegal assembly or possession of chemicals for the manufacture of drugs."

Specifies that a violation of this new prohibition is generally a felony of the third degree but is a felony of the second degree if the offense results in serious physical harm to the child involved or the offender has certain prior convictions.

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* This synopsis does not address amendments that may have been adopted on the House floor.