

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading

BY REPRESENTATIVE Slauch

1 Amend the Judiciary Committee Report, dated March 31, 2026, page 1,
2 line 12, strike "and (1.6)" and substitute "(1.6), and (10)".

3 Page 7, strike line 29 and substitute:

4 ~~"and treatment.~~

5 (10) (a) THE COURT SHALL NOT USE EVIDENCE THAT THE PARTY
6 WHO, IN GOOD FAITH HOLDS, EXPRESSES, OR ACTS UPON A SINCERELY HELD
7 RELIGIOUS, MORAL, OR PHILOSOPHICAL BELIEF TO DETERMINE THAT A
8 PARTY HAS COMMITTED CHILD ABUSE OR NEGLECT, OR TO PROHIBIT OR
9 LIMIT PARENTING TIME OR DECISION-MAKING RESPONSIBILITY.

10 (b) SUBSECTION (10)(a) OF THIS SECTION DOES NOT LIMIT THE
11 COURT'S AUTHORITY TO CONSIDER EVIDENCE OF CONDUCT THAT RESULTS
12 IN OBJECTIVE, DEMONSTRABLE HARM TO THE CHILD'S PHYSICAL HEALTH
13 OR A CLEAR AND SUBSTANTIAL IMPAIRMENT OF THE CHILD'S EMOTIONAL
14 DEVELOPMENT, AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY LAW."

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