

CHAPTER 48

CHILDREN AND DOMESTIC MATTERS

HOUSE BILL 03-1037

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AN ACT

CONCERNING THE REPORTING OF CHILD ABUSE OR NEGLECT.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. 19-3-304 (2) (m), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended, and the said 19-3-304 (2) is further amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW PARAGRAPH, to read:

19-3-304. Persons required to report child abuse or neglect. (2) Persons required to report such abuse or neglect or circumstances or conditions shall include any:

(m) Social worker or ~~worker in a family child care home, foster care home, or child care center as defined in section 26-6-102, C.R.S.~~ WORKER IN ANY FACILITY OR AGENCY THAT IS LICENSED OR CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO PART 1 OF ARTICLE 6 OF TITLE 26, C.R.S.;

(bb) WORKER IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES.

SECTION 2. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: March 20, 2003

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.