

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 5336

January Session, 2023



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:

REP. CANDELORA V., 86th Dist.

REP. O'DEA, 125th Dist.

REP. RUTIGLIANO, 123rd Dist.

REP. ACKERT, 8th Dist.

REP. PERILLO J., 113th Dist.

REP. ZUPKUS, 89th Dist.

REP. ZAWISTOWSKI, 61st Dist.

REP. CARNEY, 23rd Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE CRIME OF ENTICING A JUVENILE TO COMMIT A CRIMINAL ACT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 53a-225 of the general statutes be amended to lower the
- 2 age of eligibility from twenty-three to eighteen for the offense of enticing
- a juvenile to commit a criminal act, and to increase the penalty from a
- 4 class A misdemeanor to a class D felony on a first offense and from a
- 5 class D felony to a class C felony on any second or subsequent offense.

Statement of Purpose:

To hold accountable young adults who recruit juveniles into criminal activity.

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