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1	AN ACT relating to the civil liberties of parents and children and declaring an
2	emergency.
3	Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:
4	→SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 214 IS CREATED TO
5	READ AS FOLLOWS:
6	(1) As used in this section term "child" means a person under eighteen (18) years of
7	age.
8	(2) Notwithstanding KRS 158.035, 214.010, 214.020, 214.032 to 214.036, and
9	214.990, no person, entity, corporation, company, organization, or government
10	agency, public or private, shall require or coerce in any manner any child to
11	receive a vaccination for COVID-19 or any mutated strain of the COVID-19
12	virus, other than the child's parents, de facto or legal custodians, or guardians.
13	(3) If one (1) parent, de facto or legal custodian, or guardian objects to a child
14	receiving a vaccination for COVID-19 or any mutated strain of the COVID-19
15	virus, the vaccine shall not be administered to the child and no court shall order
16	the vaccine to be administered to the child.
17	(4) A child who has not received a vaccination for COVID-19 or any mutated strain
18	of the COVID-19 virus shall not be subject to:
19	(a) Any civil or criminal penalty;
20	(b) Any disciplinary action;
21	(c) Additional requirements including but not limited to:
22	1. COVID-19 testing;
23	2. Face coverings; or
24	3. Record keeping related to exposure, testing, or contraction of COVID-
25	<u>19;</u>
26	(d) Limitations on participation in social activities or functions; or
27	(e) Reductions in health care plan benefits.

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1	<u>(5)</u>	Any enforcement action or claim for relief for any violation of subsection (4) of
2		this section shall be brought on behalf of the child in the Circuit Court where the
3		child resides, regardless of where the defendant or defendants reside or are
4		domiciled, by:
5		(a) The child's parent or guardian;
6		(b) The child's de facto custodian;
7		(c) The child's legal custodian; or
8		(d) An attorney for the Commonwealth or the Attorney General.
9	<u>(6)</u>	The court, upon a showing of a violation of subsection (4) of this section shall:
10		(a) Award injunctive relief, upon the showing of a violation of this section
11		standing alone with no additional requirements and without any
12		requirements for a bond, to achieve compliance with this section and to end
13		any continuous violations;
14		(b) Award any actual monetary damages sustained;
15		(c) Award reasonable attorney fees and costs; and
16		(d) Impose a civil penalty of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) nor
17		more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for each day the violation
18		<u>continues.</u>
19		→ Section 2. Whereas the General Assembly realizes that the protection of minors
20	agai	nst experimental medical procedures is essential to civil liberties, an emergency is
21	decl	ared to exist, and this Act takes effect upon its passage and approval by the Governor
22	or u	pon its otherwise becoming law.