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Mr. Speaker,

The Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.B. 259**, JUVENILE INTERROGATION MODIFICATIONS, by Representative M. Judkins, with the following amendments:

- 1. Page 2, Lines 54 through 56:
 - 54 (b) A child's parent or guardian, or a friendly adult, is present at a custodial
 - 55 <u>interrogation if</u> :
 - (i) the parent, guardian, or friendly adult attends the custodial interrogation in
 - 56 person or by video { ; and ; and

(ii) an interpreter is provided to the child and the parent, guardian, or friendly adult if the child or the parent, guardian, or friendly adult is unable to speak or understand English.

- 2. Page 5, Lines 141 through 142:
 - (10) (a) If a peace officer or juvenile probation officer intentionally, knowingly,
 - 142 {<u>recklessly, or negligently</u>} <u>or recklessly</u> <u>fails to comply with the</u> requirements for a custodial interrogation of

Respectfully,

Ryan D. Wilcox Chair

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