H.B. 62 PENALTIES FOR VIOLENT CRIME IN PRESENCE OF A CHILD

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Representative Janice M. Fisher proposes the following amendments:

- 1. Page 1, Line 22 through Page 2, Line 28 House Committee Amendments 2-22-2010:
 - 22 {→ requires the court to order a person who commits a violent offense in the presence
 - 23 of a child to pay restitution for any necessary counseling for each child who is
 - 24 present when the offense was committed, unless the court states on the record why
 - 25 the court finds the restitution would not be appropriate;
 - 26 **provides that a charge of committing a violent criminal offense in the presence of a**
 - 27 child is separate and distinct from a charge of domestic violence when the victim is
 - 28 the cohabitant and specifies that either or both charges may be filed by the prosecutor; $\hat{H} \rightarrow and$
- Page 2, Line 52 House Committee Amendments 2-22-2010:
 - 52 <u>offense involving violence or physical harm</u> <u>that is not a domestic violence offense as defined in Section</u> <u>77-36-1</u>.
- 3. Page 3, Lines 65 through 71 House Committee Amendments 2-25-2010:

65 {<u>(4)</u> ÎI→ [<u>In addition to any other penalty, the</u>] <u>The</u> ←ÎI <u>court shall order a person who</u>

- 65a <u>violates</u>
- 66 <u>Subsection (2) to pay restitution for any necessary counseling for each child who is present</u>
- 67 <u>when the violation was committed, unless the court states on the record reasons why the court</u>
- 68 <u>finds the restitution would not be appropriate.</u>}
- 69 {<u>(5) (a) A charge under this section is separate and distinct from, and is in addition to, a</u>
- 70 charge of domestic violence when the victim is the cohabitant.
- 71 (b) Either or both charges may be filed by the prosecutor. }