

tion of child abuse under section 232.68, subsection 2, paragraph "c", and the alleged perpetrator of the abuse is age fourteen or older. However, the juvenile court may order the removal from the central registry of the name of a perpetrator of abuse placed in the registry pursuant to this subparagraph who is age fourteen through seventeen upon a finding of good cause. The name of a perpetrator who is less than age fourteen shall not be placed in the central registry pursuant to this subparagraph.

**NEW SUBPARAGRAPH.** (5) The department determines the alleged perpetrator of the abuse will continue to pose a danger to the child who is the subject of the report of abuse or to another child with whom the alleged perpetrator may come into contact.

Sec. 4. Section 235A.15, subsection 2, paragraph e, Code Supplement 1995, is amended by adding the following new subparagraph:

**NEW SUBPARAGRAPH.** (15) To a person who submits written authorization from an individual allowing the person access to information pursuant to this subsection on behalf of the individual in order to verify whether the individual is named in a founded child abuse report as having abused a child.

Sec. 5. Section 910A.16, subsection 4, Code 1995, is amended to read as follows:

4. To the greatest extent possible, a multidisciplinary team involving the county attorney, law enforcement personnel, community-based child advocacy organizations, and personnel of the department of human services shall be utilized in investigating and prosecuting cases involving a violation of chapter 709 or 726 or other crime committed upon a victim as defined in subsection 1. A multidisciplinary team may also consult with or include juvenile court officers, medical and mental health professionals, court-appointed special advocates, guardians ad litem, and members of a multidisciplinary team created by the department of human services for child abuse investigations. The department of justice may provide training and other assistance to support the activities of a multidisciplinary team referred to in this subsection.

Sec. 6. CHILD PROTECTION SYSTEM REVIEW. The department of human services shall convene a group consisting of interested members of the general assembly, persons involved with child protection, and other interested persons to consult with national experts in child protection. The group shall be convened during the 1996 legislative interim and may submit a report to the governor and the general assembly.

Sec. 7. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

Approved April 30, 1996

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## CHAPTER 1176

### PURCHASING DIVISION - AGGRIEVED BIDDER APPEALS

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**AN ACT** eliminating the appeal period for the awarding of contracts by the purchasing division of the department of general services.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

Section 1. Section 18.7, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 1995, is amended by striking the paragraph.

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