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March 18, 2004

The Honorable Chester Culver
Secretary of State
State Capitol Building
L O C A L

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

Senate File 2166, an Act relating to child endangerment offenses resulting in the death of a child or minor and providing a penalty.

The above Senate File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tom Vilsack".

Thomas J. Vilsack
Governor

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cc: Secretary of the Senate
Chief Clerk of the House





SENATE FILE 2166

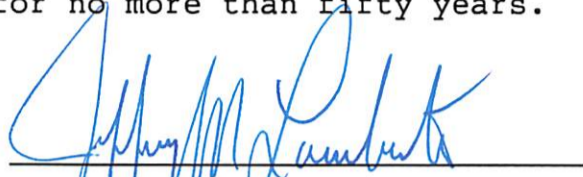
AN ACT
RELATING TO CHILD ENDANGERMENT OFFENSES RESULTING IN THE DEATH
OF A CHILD OR MINOR AND PROVIDING A PENALTY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

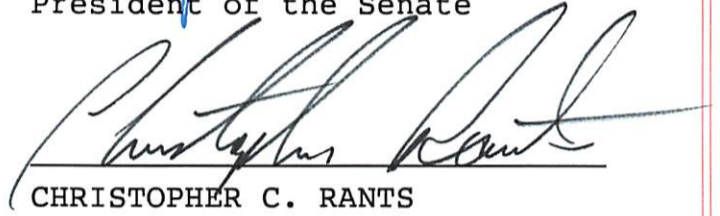
Section 1. Section 726.6, Code 2003, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 3A. A person who commits child endangerment resulting in the death of a child or minor is guilty of a class "B" felony. Notwithstanding section 902.9,

subsection 2, a person convicted of a violation of this subsection shall be confined for no more than fifty years.



JEFFREY M. LAMBERTI
President of the Senate



CHRISTOPHER C. RANTS
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 2166, Eightieth General Assembly.



MICHAEL E. MARSHALL
Secretary of the Senate

Approved March 18, 2004



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