

# House File 2318 - Introduced

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## A BILL FOR

1 An Act establishing sex offender exclusion zones in lieu of sex  
2 offender residency restrictions and providing a penalty.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:  
4 TLSB 5063HH 82  
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1 1 Section 1. Section 692A.2A, Code 2007, is amended by  
1 2 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the  
1 3 following:  
1 4 692A.2A EXCLUSIONARY ZONES.  
1 5 1. As used in this section:  
1 6 a. "Child sex offender" means a person required to  
1 7 register under this chapter and who has been convicted of a  
1 8 criminal offense against a minor.  
1 9 b. "Exclusionary zone" means a designated park or  
1 10 playground, municipal pool, or the immediate area in or around  
1 11 a public or nonpublic school bus stop.  
1 12 2. A child sex offender rated a medium or high risk to  
1 13 reoffend pursuant to the assessment of risk performed under  
1 14 section 692A.13A shall not be present on the real property  
1 15 comprising an exclusionary zone.  
1 16 3. A child sex offender rated a low risk to reoffend or  
1 17 not assessed under section 692A.13A shall not be present on  
1 18 the real property comprising an exclusionary zone other than a  
1 19 designated park.  
1 20 4. A person who violates this section commits an  
1 21 aggravated misdemeanor.  
1 22 Sec. 2. Section 692A.5, subsection 1, paragraph h, Code  
1 23 2007, is amended to read as follows:  
1 24 h. Inform the person, ~~if the person's residency is~~  
~~1 25 restricted of the exclusionary zones under section 692A.2A,~~  
~~1 26 that the person shall not reside within two thousand feet of~~  
~~1 27 the real property comprising a public or nonpublic elementary~~  
~~1 28 or secondary school, or a child care facility.~~

### EXPLANATION

1 30 This bill strikes sex offender residency restrictions and  
1 31 establishes sex offender exclusion zones.  
1 32 The bill provides that a child sex offender who has been  
1 33 convicted of a criminal offense against a minor and who is  
1 34 rated a medium or high risk to reoffend shall not be present  
1 35 on the real property comprising a designated park or  
2 1 playground, municipal pool, or the immediate area in or around  
2 2 a public or nonpublic school bus stop.  
2 3 The bill provides that a child sex offender who has been  
2 4 convicted of a criminal offense against a minor and who is  
2 5 rated a low risk to reoffend or who has not been assessed  
2 6 shall not be present on the real property which is a  
2 7 designated playground, municipal pool, or the immediate area  
2 8 in or around a public or nonpublic school bus stop.  
2 9 A child sex offender under the bill means a person required  
2 10 to register as a sex offender and who has been convicted of a  
2 11 criminal offense against a minor. Criminal offense against a  
2 12 minor is defined in Code section 692A.1.  
2 13 A person who violates the bill commits an aggravated  
2 14 misdemeanor. An aggravated misdemeanor is punishable by  
2 15 confinement for no more than two years and a fine of at least  
2 16 \$625 but not more than \$6,250.  
2 17 LSB 5063HH 82  
2 18 jm/rj/8.1