

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO.

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- Amend C.S.H.B. No. 3225 (house committee report) as follows:
- 2 (1) On page 2, line 7, strike "includes" and substitute
- 3 "means".
- 4 (2) On page 2, line 22, between "conduct" and the underlined
- 5 period, insert "in an explicit manner".
- 6 (3) On page 2, line 26, between "access" and the underlined
- 7 period, insert "in a minor's section".
- 8 (4) On page 3, strike lines 1 through 3, and substitute the
- 9 following:
- 10 explicit material in a physical or electronic collection:
- 11 (1) may not permit a minor to check out such material
- 12 from a physical collection or view or download such material in an
- 13 electronic format without consent from the minor's legal guardian
- 14 as provided under Subsection (d); and
- 15 (2) shall implement age verification measures to
- 16 prevent minors from checking out from a physical collection or
- 17 viewing or downloading in an electronic format such material
- 18 without consent from the minor's legal guardian as provided under
- 19 Subsection (d).
- 20 (5) On page 3, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:
- 21 (d) A municipal public library may permit a minor to check
- 22 out from a physical collection or view or download in an electronic
- 23 format:
- 24 (1) materials that do not contain sexually explicit
- 25 material; and

- 1 (2) with consent from the minor's legal guardian, any
- 2 materials in the library's physical or electronic collection, if
- 3 the library gives notice to the legal guardian that the full
- 4 collection may contain sexually explicit material.
- 5 (6) On page 3, line 7, strike "(d)" and substitute "(e)".
- 6 (7) On page 3, line 13, strike "its collections" and
- 7 substitute "all new materials curated for a minor's section".
- 8 (8) On page 3, line 18, between "the" and "date", insert
- 9 "later of the".
- 10 (9) On page 3, line 18, between "petition" and the underlined
- 11 period, insert "or the date the material is available for review".
- 12 (10) On page 3, between lines 18 and 19, insert the
- 13 following:
- 14 (b) The guidelines established under Subsection (a) must
- 15 allow a municipal public library to deny a petition to review any
- 16 material previously reviewed under the process described by
- 17 Subsection (a)(3).
- 18 (11) On page 3, line 19, strike "(b)" and substitute "(c)".
- 19 (12) On page 3, line 25, between "minor" and the underlined
- 20 period, insert "in a minor's section".
- 21 (13) On page 3, line 27, strike "may" and substitute "shall".
- 22 (14) On page 4, line 9, strike "accessing" and substitute
- 23 "checking out".
- 24 (15) On page 4, line 17, between "Section 310.002" and "is
- 25 <u>liable</u>", insert "and does not remedy the violation within the
- 26 period prescribed by Section 310.003(c)".
- 27 (16) On page 5, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:
- Sec. 310.007. TEMPORARY PROVISION: REVIEW OF EXISTING
- 29 COLLECTIONS BY SEPTEMBER 1, 2027, REQUIRED; PUBLIC NOTICE. (a)
- 30 Each municipal public library shall:

- 1 (1) not later than March 1, 2026, post in a prominent
- 2 location within the library the public notice described by
- 3 Subsection (b); and
- 4 (2) not later than September 1, 2027, conduct a review
- 5 of the library's existing collections curated for a minor's section
- 6 according to the guidelines established by the commission under
- 7 <u>Section 310.003.</u>
- 8 (b) The public notice must contain:
- 9 (1) a statement that, under Chapter 310, municipal
- 10 public libraries are required to complete a review of all materials
- 11 curated for minors by September 1, 2027;
- 12 (2) a statement indicating whether the library has
- 13 initiated a review of its minor's section to identify and relocate
- 14 sexually explicit material in good faith compliance with the law;
- 15 and
- 16 (3) the contact information for the library for any
- 17 public inquiries regarding the review process.
- 18 (c) The commission may adopt a model notice template for
- 19 municipal public libraries to use to meet the requirements of this
- 20 <u>section</u>.
- 21 (d) This section expires January 1, 2028.
- 22 (17) Strike SECTION 3 and renumber the following SECTION
- 23 accordingly.