

HOUSE REPUBLICAN STAFF ANALYSIS

Bill:	House File 2515 (Formerly HSB 617)	House Committee:	PASSED on February 10 (21-0)
Committee:	Judiciary	House Floor:	PASSED on March 4 (97-0)
Floor Manager:	Rep. Fett	Senate Floor:	PASSED on March 24 (46-0)
Date:	May 12, 2026	Governor:	SIGNED on April 9, 2026
Staff:	Amanda Wille (1-5230)		

Sexual Exploitation- No Deferred Sentence

- Prohibits the courts from granting a deferred or suspended sentence to anyone convicted of sexual exploitation of a minor.
- **Fiscal Note** – Cannot be determined due to lack of historical data.

Section by Section Analysis

Section 1- Deferred Judgement, Deferred or Suspended Sentence, Probation- Deferred Judgement, Deferred Sentence, or Suspended Sentence (907.3)

The court shall not provide a deferred sentence to a person convicted of sexual exploitation of a minor.

Section 2- Deferred Judgement, Deferred or Suspended Sentence, Probation- Deferred Judgement, Deferred Sentence, or Suspended Sentence (907.3)

The court shall not suspend the sentence for a person convicted of sexual exploitation of a minor.

Amendment Analysis