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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PORNOGRAPHY.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1 SECTION 1. Section 712-1215, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (2) to read as follows:

3 "(2) Subsection (1) does not apply to a parent~~[7]~~ or legal  
4 guardian~~[, or other person in loco parentis to]~~ of the minor or  
5 to a sibling of the minor, or to a person who commits any act  
6 specified therein in the person's capacity and within the scope  
7 of the person's employment as a member of the staff of any  
8 public library."

9 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that  
10 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were  
11 begun before its effective date.

12 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
13 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

14 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2018.



**Report Title:**

Penal Code; Promoting Pornography for Minors

**Description:**

Clarifies that the offense of promoting pornography for minors does not apply to a legal guardian of a minor. Deletes the exemption for other persons in loco parentis to a minor.

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