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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3969

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 3969 on page 1, by  
3 inserting after line 16 the following:

4 "Soft restraints may be used for transporting youth under  
5 the care or custody of the Department only in the following 2  
6 limited circumstances: (i) if, based on a youth's mental health  
7 needs, a psychiatrist orders the use of restraints for  
8 transporting a youth under the care or custody of the  
9 Department; or (ii) if a court orders the use of restraints for  
10 transporting a youth under the care or custody of the  
11 Department. Further, even in those 2 limited circumstances, the  
12 use of soft restraints is not permitted unless there is a  
13 written recommendation by the Department's Chief Deputy  
14 Director, Clinical and Child Services and written approval by  
15 the Department's Chief Deputy Director."