



93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2003 and 2004

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 5/12-10

from Ch. 38, par. 12-10

Amends the Criminal Code of 1961. Makes a technical change in a Section defining the offense of tattooing the body of a minor.

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1 AN ACT in relation to criminal law.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by changing
5 Section 12-10 as follows:

6 (720 ILCS 5/12-10) (from Ch. 38, par. 12-10)

7 Sec. 12-10. Tattooing Body of Minor. ~~Any~~ A ~~Any~~ person, other
8 than a person licensed to practice medicine in all its
9 branches, who tattoos or offers to tattoo a person under the
10 age of 21 is guilty of a Class C misdemeanor.

11 As used in this Section, to "tattoo" means to insert
12 pigment under the surface of the skin of a human being, by
13 pricking with a needle or otherwise, so as to produce an
14 indelible mark or figure visible through the skin.

15 (Source: P.A. 77-2638.)