

## **HB 1453: Taking Custody of a Child in a School**

Section 210.760.2 of HB 1453 prohibits the removal of children from schools for placement in foster care without a court order specifying that the child will be removed from the school.

### **Current Policy:**

- Staff shall request that Form CS-33 be completed if protective custody is taken by law enforcement or Juvenile Officer and no court order has been obtained.
- CD shall obtain a court order placing the child in CD custody.

### **New Policy:**

- Continue to use current policy
- **Court order must specify the child be removed from the school**

### **Expected Outcomes:**

Compliance of 210.760.2 will continue the current effort of the Children's Division in an attempt to make a child being taken into custody feel as comfortable as possible during the process.