

HOUSE BILL No. 1094

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 35-46-5-5.

Synopsis: Improper operation of a riding lawn mower. Provides that it is a Class C infraction for a person to operate a riding lawn mower with a person less than 12 years of age riding on the riding lawn mower. Provides that it is a Class C misdemeanor for a person to knowingly or intentionally allow a person less than 12 years of age to operate a riding lawn mower.

Effective: July 1, 2012.

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January 9, 2012, read first time and referred to Committee on Courts and Criminal Code.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2011 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 35-46-5-5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2 AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3 1, 2012]: **Sec. 5. (a) A person who operates a riding lawn mower**
4 **while a person less than twelve (12) years of age is riding on the**
5 **lawn mower commits improper operation of a riding lawn mower,**
6 **a Class C infraction.**
7 (b) **A person who knowingly or intentionally allows a person less**
8 **than twelve (12) years of age to operate a riding lawn mower**
9 **commits improper permission to operate a riding lawn mower, a**
10 **Class C misdemeanor.**

