

1 **HB 1186 - H AMDS 086 FAILED 3-11-97**

2 By Representative Backlund

3 On page 1, beginning on line 6, strike section 1

4 Renumber remaining sections consecutively and correct internal
5 references accordingly and correct the title

6 On page 2, beginning on line 28, strike lines 28 and 29 and
7 insert: (7) Fails to summon assistance for a victim of such
8 person's crime or juvenile offense. Fails to summon assistance-
9 means:

10 (a) He or she knows that another person has suffered or is
11 about to suffer substantial bodily harm and is in need of
12 assistance;

13 (b) He or she could summon assistance to the person in need
14 without danger to himself or herself and without interference with
15 an important duty owed to a third party;

16 (c) He or she fails to summon assistance to the person in
17 need; and

18 (d) Another person is not summoning assistance for the person
19 in need.-

EFFECT: Deletes the new crime of failing to give reasonable assistance. The new crime in the underlying bill does not require that the person be injured as a result of a crime or that the person who should have given assistance know that the person was injured as a result of a crime. Under the amendment, the provisions of failing to summon assistance-are incorporated into the definition of rendering criminal assistance- which already is a crime. Under the amendment, a person may be found guilty of rendering criminal assistance if the person fails to summon assistance for an injured person but only if the person failed to summon assistance with intent to prevent the apprehension of a another person whom he or she knows committed a crime against the victim.