

**SHB 1058** - H AMD

By Representative McDonald

1           On page 1, line 8, after "minor" strike "under thirteen years  
2 of age" and insert "fourteen years of age or younger"

3           On page 1, line 10, after "minor" strike "under the age of  
4 thirteen" and insert "fourteen years of age or younger"

5           On page 2, line 11, after "child," strike "age thirteen or  
6 older" and insert "over the age of fourteen"

7           On page 3, line 11, after "child," strike "age thirteen or  
8 older" and insert "over the age of fourteen"

**EFFECT:** Permits a parent to consent to a mental health evaluation and treatment for his or her child who is age fourteen or younger regardless of the consent of the child.

Changes the age limitations for parent-initiated mental health treatment for minors to permit a parent to bring a child who is over the age of fourteen years into a mental health facility for evaluation and treatment.