HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY

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BILL: CS/SB 512

SPONSOR: Children and Families Committee and Senators Aronberg and Lynn

SUBJECT: Protective Injunctions

PREPARED BY: Senate Committee on Judiciary

DATE: May 2, 2005

I. Amendments Contained in Message:

House Amendment 1 – 647497 (body with title)

II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message:

House Amendment 1 keeps the provision in the Senate bill which provides for heightened evidence if the party against whom a protective injunction is sought is also a parent, stepparent, or legal guardian of the minor child.

This amendment does not, however, include the language in the Senate bill that grants a governmental employer standing to file an injunction petition on behalf of an employee who is the victim of repeat violence in a public workplace, which was adopted through amendment in the Senate Children and Families Committee.