1969 Assembly Bill 544

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CHAPTER 456, LAWS OF 1969

AN ACT to create 940.201 of the statutes, prohibiting the physical abuse of children, and providing a penalty.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

940.201 of the statutes is created to read:

940.201 ABUSE OF CHILDREN. Whoever tortures or subjects to cruel maltreatment any child may be fined not more than \$500 or imprisoned not more than one year in county jail or both. In this section, "child" means a person under 16 years of age.

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