

Senate Bill 331

By: Senators Robertson of the 29th, Kirkpatrick of the 32nd, Unterman of the 45th, Dugan of the 30th, Albers of the 56th and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Part 2 of Article 3 of Chapter 12 of Title 16 of the Official Code of Georgia  
2 Annotated, relating to obscenity and related offenses related to minors generally, so as to  
3 provide that it shall be illegal for any person to knowingly possess or control or produce any  
4 material or medium which contains images that depict a naked or nearly naked, suggestively  
5 posed, and inappropriately sexualized child or children with the intent to arouse or satisfy the  
6 sexual desire of such person or the person viewing such images; to provide for related  
7 matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

9 **SECTION 1.**

10 Part 2 of Article 3 of Chapter 12 of Title 16 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,  
11 relating to obscenity and related offenses related to minors generally, is amended by revising  
12 subsection (b) of Code Section 16-12-100, relating to sexual exploitation of children,  
13 reporting violation, civil forfeiture, and penalties, by adding a new paragraph to read as  
14 follows:

15 "(9) It is unlawful for any person to knowingly possess or control or produce any material  
16 or medium which contains images that depict a naked or nearly naked, suggestively posed,  
17 and inappropriately sexualized child or children with the intent to arouse or satisfy the  
18 sexual desire of such person or the person viewing such images."

19 **SECTION 2.**

20 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.