Public Act 093-0696

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AN ACT concerning criminal law.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by changing Section 11-19.1 as follows:

(720 ILCS 5/11-19.1) (from Ch. 38, par. 11-19.1)

Sec. 11-19.1. Juvenile Pimping <u>and aggravated juvenile</u> pimping.

(a) <u>A person commits the offense of juvenile pimping if the</u> person knowingly receives any form of consideration derived <u>from the practice of prostitution</u>, in whole or in part, and

(1) the prostitute was under the age of 16 at the time the act of prostitution occurred; or

(2) the prostitute was a severely or profoundly mentally retarded person at the time the act of prostitution occurred Any person who receives any money, property, token, object, or article or anything of value from a prostitute under 16 years of age or from a prostitute who is a severely or profoundly mentally retarded person, not for a lawful consideration, knowing it was carned in whole or in part from the practice of prostitution, commits juvenile pimping.

(b) <u>A person commits the offense of aggravated juvenile</u> pimping if the person knowingly receives any form of consideration derived from the practice of prostitution, in whole or in part, and the prostitute was under the age of 13 at the time the act of prostitution occurred.

(c) It is an affirmative defense to a charge of juvenile pimping that the accused reasonably believed the person was of the age of 16 years or over or was not a severely or profoundly mentally retarded person at the time of the act giving rise to the charge. Public Act 093-0696

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(d) (c) Sentence.

<u>A person who commits a violation of subsection (a) is</u> <u>guilty of Juvenile pimping is</u> a Class 1 felony. <u>A person who</u> <u>commits a violation of subsection (b) is guilty of a Class X</u> <u>felony.</u>

(Source: P.A. 91-696, eff. 4-13-00; 92-434, eff. 1-1-02.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect January 1, 2005.