

KENTUCKY GENERAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT FORM
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Amend printed copy of **HB 227/HCS 1**

On page 5, line 7, after ";" insert "and"; and

On page 5, line 8, delete "and" and insert ";" in lieu thereof; and

Starting on p. 6, line 24, continuing to p. 7, line 27, delete Section 3 in its entirety and insert in lieu the following:

"→SECTION 3. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 367 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

(1) A covered social media platform shall require any applicant for an account to provide his or her birth date as part of the account application process, and may not provide any default birth date when requesting that information.

(2) A covered social media platform shall not create or maintain an account for a child, or change the terms and conditions of an account for a child.

(3) An account for a child shall have all privacy settings set by default at the most private level. A covered social media platform shall not change the privacy settings of an account of a child.

(4) A covered social media platform shall not present addictive features in the display or feed of any child.

(5) A covered social medial platform shall not present profile-based paid commercial advertising in the display or feed of any child."; and

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Rep. Rep. Matthew Lehman

Committee Amendment _____

Signed: _____

Floor Amendment _____

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Starting on page 8, line 1 and continuing to p. 9, line 5, delete Section 4 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"➔SECTION 4. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 367 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) A covered social media platform shall terminate an account if it concludes, or obtains information from which it should reasonably conclude pursuant to its obligations under Section 2 of this Act, that the account holder is a child.
- (2) A covered social media platform shall terminate an account of a minor within seven (7) days after a request for termination from the account holder.
- (3) A covered social media platform shall terminate the account of a minor within fourteen (14) days after receipt of a request for termination from a parent of the minor.
- (4) A covered social media platform shall provide clear, simple, and efficient means for the parent of any minor to request termination of any account of a minor.
- (5) If a covered social media platform makes a determination that it must terminate an account because the account holder has been classified as a child, the covered social media platform shall notify the account holder of its intent to terminate the account within seven (7) days of making the determination and shall provide the reason for the termination. The account holder shall have thirty (30) days from the date of the notice to dispute the age classification and complete an age verification process.
- (6) If an account holder disputes his or her classification as a child, a covered social media platform may rely on any commercially reasonable age verification process to resolve the dispute. A covered social media platform shall make a reasonable determination within thirty (30) days of the completion of the age verification process. If a covered social media platform concludes it is obligated to terminate an account, it shall terminate that account within seven (7) days of that determination."