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**TO: ALL SENATORS**  
**FROM: Senator Jane C. Orie**  
**DATE: December 22, 2010**  
**RE: Denial of bail for certain convicted sex offenders.**

I plan on reintroducing Senate Bill 1128 from last session which proposes to prohibit individuals who have been convicted of an offense that requires registration under Megan's Law and where the victim was under 18 years of age from being granted bail pending sentencing or during an appeal of their conviction.

This legislation came about from a case in 2007 where a convicted sex offender was granted bail and committed another offense.

Senate Bill 1128 was previously co-sponsored by Senators RAFFERTY , BOSCOLA , BROWNE , STACK , ERICKSON , FOLMER , KASUNIC , TARTAGLIONE , MUSTO , FARNESE, WAUGH , LOGAN , WARD, ALLOWAY, WASHINGTON , WOZNIAK , D. WHITE and MENSCH.

Should you wish to co-sponsor this bill, please contact Kacie Morrell at 787-6538 or by email at [kmorrell@pasen.gov](mailto:kmorrell@pasen.gov).

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