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TO:

All Senators

FROM:

Senator Kim Ward

SUBJECT:

Co-Sponsorship of Legislation - Pension Forfeiture - Memo #41

I plan to introduce legislation to amend the Public Employee Pension Forfeiture Act to add a violation of 18 Pa.C.S.A. §6312(d) (relating to child pornography) to the list of offenses that automatically require a public official or public employee, if convicted, to forfeit their pension. This legislation would close the loophole that was recently brought to light by several high profile convictions of certain public employees for possession of child pornography.

If you would like to co-sponsor this legislation, please contact Tiffany Price in my office at 717-787-6063 or by email at <a href="mailto:tprice@pasen.gov">tprice@pasen.gov</a>.

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