

daughter missing, as Florida state law did not require parents to report missing or deceased children. Unfortunately, what happened to Caylee could happen today in this state as California has a similar lapse in law.

California lawmakers have moved to prevent such tragedies from occurring by introducing AB 1226, Caylee's Law. This proposed legislation will make it a felony for a parent, guardian or caregiver to fail to report the death of a child to authorities within two hours of the child's death. Additionally, the measure would make it a felony for a parent, guardian or caregiver to fail to report a missing child under the age of 12 to authorities within 48 hours of the child's disappearance. The measure also includes an urgency clause, which, if approved by the Legislature and signed into law by Governor Jerry Brown, would take effect immediately. Similar "Caylee's Law" efforts are currently underway in Florida, Oklahoma, New York, and West Virginia.

V. FISCAL IMPACT

None.

VI. EXHIBITS

- 1. Resolution No. 11-102. (pgs. 3-4)

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Action taken by City Council

Date _____ Action _____
