HB 961 -- Child Pornography

Sponsor: Cox

This bill allows any child who was a victim of sexual exploitation of a minor, promoting child pornography in the first or second degree, or possessing child pornography to bring a civil action against the offender within 10 years of attaining 21 years of age or within three years of discovering his or her injury. Any individual who is convicted of, pleads guilty to, or is found guilty of promoting child pornography in the first degree will not be eligible for probation, parole, or conditional release for three years. Any individual who is convicted of, pleads guilty to, or is found guilty of promoting child pornography in the second degree will not be eligible for probation. Any person who commits possession of child pornography will be guilty of a felony with a term of imprisonment from one to 10 years.