HB 151 -- ENDANGERING THE WELFARE OF A CHILD

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This bill adds that a person commits the offense of endangering the welfare of a child in the 2nd degree if he or she, with criminal negligence, allows a child to gain access to a loaded firearm located in a area under the person's control without the permission of the child's parent or guardian and after accessing the firearm, the child:

- (1) Uses the loaded firearm in a reckless or threatening manner;
- (2) Uses the loaded firearm during the commission of an offense; or
- (3) Discharges the loaded firearm.

This bill is the same as HB 2747 (2022).