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Definition Of Failure To Report The Death Or Disappearance Of A Child Under 13 Years of Age

[1] A [(parent) (legal guardian) (caretaker)] of a child under 13 years of age commits failure to report the [(death) (disappearance)] of a child under 13 years of age when he [(knows) (should know)] the child is [(missing) (deceased)] and fails to report this information to a law enforcement agency within 24 hours.

[or]

[2] A [(parent) (legal guardian) (caretaker)] of a child under 2 years of age commits failure to report the [(death) (disappearance)] of a child under 13 years of age when he [(knows) (should know)] the child is [(missing) (deceased)] and fails to report this information to a law enforcement agency within 1 hour.

[or]

[3] A [(parent) (legal guardian) (caretaker)] of a child under 13 years of age commits failure to report the death of a child under 13 years of age when he reasonably believes the child's death was caused by [(homicide) (accident) (suspicious circumstances)] and fails to report this information to the law enforcement agency for the county where the child's corpse was found.

Committee Note

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