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"AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC ACCESS TO PROCEEDINGS IN CERTAIN JUVENILE MATTERS."

1 Strike lines 16 to 20, inclusive, in their entirety and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "(b) In any proceeding in which a child is alleged to be uncared for,
4 neglected, abused or dependent or is the subject of a petition for
5 termination of parental rights, the court may exclude from the
6 proceeding any person who the court determines, on a case-by-case
7 basis, should be excluded in order to protect the best interests of the
8 child."

9 In line 35, after "determination" insert "in the best interests of the
10 child and shall record its findings and determination"