

Proposal of amendment to H.95

- 16 year-olds who are alleged to have committed an offense (not Big 12) would be treated the same as 10-15 year olds as of 7/1/16
- 17 year-olds who are alleged to have committed an offense would continue to be treated as under current law pending recommendations of Oversight Committee
- Joint Committee on Criminal Justice Oversight would study and make recommendations on 1) transitioning 17-21 year olds alleged to have committed an offense (not Big 12) into juvenile or youthful offender status; 2) expanding youthful offender status up to and including 24 year olds, but require the 22-24 year olds to be under DOC supervision; and 3) housing 16 and 17 year-old offenders serving a sentence for a Big 12 offense. Committee would report by 1/15/17
- Offenders under 25 years of age who are serving an incarcerative sentences for an offense that is not Big 12 would be housed separately from the 25 years of age and over population as of 7/1/16