

## HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading

BY REPRESENTATIVE Evans

1 Strike the Appropriations Committee Report, dated April 14, 2023, and  
2 substitute:

3 "Strike the Judiciary Committee Report, dated April 5, 2023, and  
4 substitute:

5 "Amend printed bill, page 3, strike lines 2 through 14 and substitute:

6 **"SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, add 16-11.3-103.6**  
7 **as follows:**

8 **16-11.3-103.6. Age of delinquency task force - created - report.**

9 (1) THERE IS CREATED IN THE COMMISSION THE AGE OF  
10 DELINQUENCY TASK FORCE, REFERRED TO IN THIS SECTION AS THE "TASK  
11 FORCE," TO STUDY AND REVIEW THE APPROPRIATENESS OF THE AGE OF  
12 PROSECUTION IN REGARD TO OFFENDERS TEN YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER BUT  
13 UNDER THIRTEEN YEARS OF AGE. THE TASK FORCE SHALL CONSIDER  
14 WHETHER ANY OFFENSES COMMITTED BY CHILDREN TEN YEARS OF AGE OR  
15 OLDER BUT UNDER THIRTEEN YEARS OF AGE CAN SAFELY AND  
16 RESPONSIBLY BE SERVED AND REHABILITATED THROUGH SERVICES AND  
17 PROGRAMS OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM, OR  
18 THROUGH REVISIONS TO THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM, WITHOUT  
19 PRESENTING AN INCREASED THREAT TO PUBLIC SAFETY AND WHILE  
20 RESPECTING AND PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AND STATUTORY  
21 RIGHTS OF VICTIMS AT THE SAME LEVEL PROVIDED BY CURRENT LAW.

22 (2) THE COMMISSION SHALL APPOINT MEMBERS TO THE TASK  
23 FORCE AS IT DEEMS NECESSARY TO FURTHER THE PURPOSES OF THE TASK  
24 FORCE.

25 (3) ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 31, 2024, THE TASK FORCE SHALL  
26 SUBMIT AND PRESENT A REPORT, INCLUDING FINDINGS AND  
27 RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING MODIFICATION TO THE JUVENILE  
28 JUSTICE SYSTEM, OR ALTERNATIVES TO INVOLVEMENT IN THE JUVENILE  
29 JUSTICE SYSTEM, FOR CHILDREN TEN YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER BUT UNDER  
30 THIRTEEN YEARS OF AGE TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES JUDICIARY  
31 COMMITTEE AND THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, OR THEIR  
32 SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES.".".

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