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BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 388

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the top of the page, insert "EMERGENCY BILL"; in lines 7 and 8, strike "interim and final"; and in line 9, strike "certain dates;" and substitute "a certain date; making this Act an emergency measure; providing for the termination of this Act;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, after line 17, insert:

"(1) CONVENE AN ADVISORY STAKEHOLDER GROUP THAT INCLUDES ORGANIZATIONS WITH EXPERIENCE IN:

(I) CRIMINAL JUSTICE POLICY REFORM;

(II) ADVOCATING FOR GROUPS WITH DISPROPORTIONATE CONTACT WITH THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM;

(III) ADVOCATING FOR VICTIMS OF CRIME; AND

(IV) COMMUNITY CONFERENCING AND MEDIATION FOR RESTORATIVE JUSTICE;

(2) WORKING WITH THE ADVISORY STAKEHOLDER GROUP, CONDUCT ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION FORUMS SEEKING PUBLIC INPUT IN ALL GEOGRAPHIC REGIONS OF THE STATE;"

(Over)

in lines 18 and 21, strike “(1)” and “(2)”, respectively, and substitute “(3)” and “(4)”, respectively; in line 19, strike “POLICY”; in the same line, strike “TO” and substitute “OF SENTENCING AND CORRECTIONS POLICIES TO FURTHER REDUCE THE STATE’S INCARCERATED POPULATION,”; and in the same line, after “CORRECTIONS” insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On pages 3 and 4, strike beginning with the colon in line 27 on page 3 down through “(2)” in line 3 on page 4.

On page 4, in line 3, strike “FINAL”; and in line 4, strike “JANUARY 1, 2017” and substitute “DECEMBER 31, 2015”.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, strike in their entirety lines 5 and 6, inclusive, and substitute:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted. It shall remain effective through December 31, 2018, and, at the end of December 31, 2018, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.”.