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BY: Judicial Proceedings Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 982
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike line 2 in its entirety and substitute “Department of Juvenile Services – Implementation of Task Force Recommendations – Report”; strike beginning with “that” in line 3 down through “searches” in line 11 and substitute “the Department of Juvenile Services to report on the status of the implementation of certain recommendations of the Task Force to Study the Restraint, Searches, and Needs of Children in the Juvenile Justice System; specifying certain recommendations on which the Department must report; requiring the Department to submit a certain report to the Governor and the General Assembly on or before a certain date; providing for the termination of this Act; and generally relating to the Task Force to Study the Restraint, Searches, and Needs of Children in the Juvenile Justice System and the Department of Juvenile Services”; and strike in their entirety lines 12 through 26, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 2, strike “the Laws of Maryland read as follows”; after line 2, insert:

“(a) (1) The Department of Juvenile Services shall prepare a progress report on the status of the implementation of the recommendations of the Task Force to Study the Restraint, Searches, and Needs of Children in the Juvenile Justice System that was established by Chapter 655 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2016.

(2) In preparing the report required under this section, the Department shall compile information on:

(i) changes to Department policies and procedures regarding the use of:

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1. visual body searches; and

2. mechanical restraints during transportation;

(ii) the collection of data related to the use of visual body searches, including:

1. the number of searches conducted;

2. the circumstances leading to the searches;

3. a detailed description of each item recovered from the child, including from where the item was recovered;

4. the gender, race, and age of each child; and

5. the date, time, and location of the search; and

(iii) the collection of data related to the use of mechanical restraints during transportation, including:

1. the number of times mechanical restraints are used during transportation;

2. the travel date, start and end times, and address of the original destination; and

3. the gender, race, and age of each child.

(b) On or before December 1, 2017, the Department of Juvenile Services shall submit to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government

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Article, the General Assembly the report on the implementation of the recommendations of the Task Force and the information specified in paragraph (a)(2) of this section.”.

On pages 2 through 5, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 3 on page 2 through line 11 on page 5, inclusive.

On page 5, in line 13, strike “October” and substitute “June”; and in the same line, after the period insert “It shall remain effective for a period of 1 year and 1 month and, at the end of June 30, 2018, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.”.