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House Bill 4157 (Substitute H-1)
Sponsor: Representative Sandra Hill
House Committee: Judiciary and Civil Rights
Senate Committee: Judiciary

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SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4157 (Substitute H-1) as passed by the House:

The bill would repeal four sections of the Department of Corrections (DOC) law that do all of the following:

- Require the division of the State into nine corrections regions.
- Establish procedures for the DOC to select regional prison sites.
- Require the DOC to promulgate rules to establish placement procedures for prisoners that maximize the placement of each prisoner in a regional prison located in the region in which the prisoner resided, as space is available in that regional prison.

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FISCAL IMPACT

To the extent that the bill resulted in fewer lawsuits filed by prisoners over the right of being incarcerated in a particular region, the bill could result in some cost savings.

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