

SENATE BILL No. 22

January 18, 2017, Introduced by Senator JOHNSON and referred to the Committee on Michigan Competitiveness.

A bill to amend 1953 PA 232, entitled
"Corrections code of 1953,"
(MCL 791.201 to 791.285) by adding section 62d.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 62D. (1) UNLESS THERE ARE SPECIFIC CIRCUMSTANCES
2 PREVENTING IT FROM DOING SO, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ENSURE THAT
3 PRISONERS IN THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT WHO ARE APPROXIMATELY 18
4 TO 22 YEARS OF AGE ARE HOUSED ONLY WITH OTHER PRISONERS WHO ARE
5 APPROXIMATELY 18 TO 22 YEARS OF AGE. UNLESS THERE ARE SPECIFIC
6 CIRCUMSTANCES PREVENTING IT FROM DOING SO, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL
7 ALSO ENSURE THAT THE PRISONERS DESCRIBED IN THIS SUBSECTION ARE
8 HOUSED IN THE SAME CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES IN THIS STATE.

9 (2) AT A FACILITY HOUSING PRISONERS UNDER SUBSECTION (1), THE
10 DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE, TO THE EXTENT IT IS ABLE TO DO SO,

1 PROGRAMMING DESIGNED FOR YOUTH REHABILITATION. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL
2 CONSULT WITH THE ADMINISTRATORS OF THE FAMILY DIVISIONS OF THE
3 CIRCUIT COURTS IN THIS STATE AND SEEK RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING THE
4 SELECTION OF PROGRAMMING DESIGNED FOR YOUTH REHABILITATION.

5 (3) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL SUBMIT AN ANNUAL REPORT TO THE SENATE
6 AND HOUSE COMMITTEES RESPONSIBLE FOR LEGISLATION CONCERNING
7 CORRECTIONS ISSUES DETAILING THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE DEPARTMENT HAS
8 IMPLEMENTED THE HOUSING REQUIREMENTS IN SUBSECTION (1).

9 (4) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "CORRECTIONAL FACILITY" MEANS A
10 FACILITY OPERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT, OR BY A PRIVATE ENTITY UNDER
11 CONTRACT WITH THE DEPARTMENT, THAT HOUSES PRISONERS UNDER THE
12 JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT.

13 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
14 after the date it is enacted into law.