



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 203

LCO No. 198



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:

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***AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY FOR NONJUDICIAL
ADJUDICATION OF A DELINQUENCY COMPLAINT.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to make a juvenile ineligible for
- 2 nonjudicial handling of a delinquency complaint if any one or more of
- 3 the following is true, unless waived by the judicial authority: (1) The
- 4 alleged conduct (A) is a serious juvenile offense under section 46b-120
- 5 of the general statutes, or any other felony or violation of section 53a-
- 6 54d of the general statutes; (B) concerns the theft or unlawful use or
- 7 operation of a motor vehicle; or (C) concerns the sale of, or possession
- 8 of with the intent to sell, any illegal drug or the use or possession of a
- 9 firearm; (2) the juvenile was previously adjudicated delinquent; (3) the
- 10 juvenile admitted at least twice previously to having been delinquent;
- 11 (4) the alleged misconduct was committed by a child while on probation
- 12 or under judicial supervision; or (5) the nature of the alleged misconduct
- 13 warrants judicial intervention.

Statement of Purpose:

To restore the eligibility requirements of a juvenile being adjudicated nonjudicial prior to the 2023 change by the Judicial Branch's Rules Committee.