

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 218



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by: SEN. CICARELLA, 34th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONSIDERATION OF PUBLIC SAFETY WHEN DETERMINING WHETHER TO TRANSFER A JUVENILE TO ADULT COURT.

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

That subparagraph (C) of subdivision (3) of subsection (a) of section 46b-127 of the general statutes and subdivision (3) of subsection (b) of section 46b-127 of the general statutes be amended to read "after weighing the best interests of the child, the best interests of the public will not be served by maintaining the case in the superior court for juvenile matters."

Statement of Purpose:

To place greater weight on the safety of the public when a court considers the transference of a juvenile to adult court.