

Bill No. CS for SB 334, 1st Eng.

Amendment No. ____

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11	Senator Gutman moved the following amendment:		
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13	Senate Amendment (with title amendment)		
14	On page 2, between lines 27 and 28,		
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16	insert:		
17	Section 2. Subsection (6) of section 985.307, Florida		
18	Statutes, is amended to read:		
19	985.307 Juvenile assignment centers.--		
20	(6) Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary,		
21	this section expires July 1, <u>2000</u> 1998 , unless reenacted by		
22	the Legislature. The department may not create or operate a		
23	juvenile assignment center after July 1, 1998, without further		
24	legislative authority. Unless reenacted by the Legislature,		
25	any juvenile assignment center created under this section		
26	shall be converted to a high-level or maximum-level		
27	residential commitment program, subject to availability of		
28	funds.		
29	<u>(7) The department may utilize juvenile assignment</u>		
30	<u>centers to the fullest extent possible for the purpose of</u>		
31	<u>conducting pre-adjudicatory assessments and evaluations of</u>		

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1 youth referred to the department. Prior to July 1, 1999, the
2 department must transition any assignment centers to provide
3 the capacity necessary to perform the intake and assessment
4 functions currently performed pursuant to s. 985.209.

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6 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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9 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

10 And the title is amended as follows:

11 On page 1, line 8, after the semicolon

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13 insert:

14 amending s. 985.307, F.S.; postponing the date
15 on which the authority of the Department of
16 Juvenile Justice to create or operate juvenile
17 assignment centers is scheduled to expire;
18 providing for pre-adjudicatory assessments;

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