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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice  
(Bradley) recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment**

Delete lines 116 - 129  
and insert:

Section 2. (1) A person who is sentenced to imprisonment  
for committing an offense before attaining 18 years of age is  
entitled to review of his or her sentence in the following  
circumstances:

(a) A person who is sentenced to life imprisonment,  
imprisonment for life, or imprisonment for a term of more than



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11 25 years for any offense that is included in s. 782.04, Florida  
12 Statutes, but for which he or she was not the person who  
13 actually killed the victim, is entitled to a review of his or  
14 her sentence after 25 years. The sentencing court shall retain  
15 original jurisdiction for the duration of the sentence for this  
16 purpose.

17 (b) A person who is sentenced to life imprisonment,  
18 imprisonment for life, or imprisonment for a term of more than  
19 20 years for any offense that is not included in s. 782.04,  
20 Florida Statutes, is entitled to a review of his or her sentence  
21 after 20 years. If the court does not modify the person's  
22 sentence in accordance with subsection (5) and the person is  
23 servng a sentence of imprisonment for a term of more than 30  
24 years, the person is entitled to another review of his or her  
25 sentence after serving 30 years of the sentence. The sentencing  
26 court shall retain original jurisdiction for the duration of the  
27 sentence for this purpose.

28 (2) The Department of Corrections shall notify a juvenile  
29 offender who is committed to the department of his or her  
30 eligibility to participate in a resentencing hearing 30 months  
31 before the date that he or she will be eligible for the  
32 resentencing hearing. The juvenile offender may apply to the  
33 court of original jurisdiction requesting that a resentencing  
34 hearing be held.