

HOUSE BILL 1187: Raise the Age Funding.

2019-2020 General Assembly

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OVERVIEW: H1187 allows funds in the Statewide Misdemeanant Confinement Fund to be used by the Department of Public Safety (DPS) for various Raise the Age projects.

BILL ANALYSIS:

Section 1 transfers \$10,440,000 in nonrecurring funds from the Statewide Misdemeanant Confinement Fund to the Division of Adult Correction and Juvenile Justice Division-Wide Operations Fund. The funds are then appropriated to the Department of Public Safety to be allocated and used as follows:

- (1) \$2,762,000 for the Perquimans Youth Detention Center for Raise the Age renovations.
- (2) \$5,678,000 for the C.A. Dillon Youth Development Center campus in Granville County for Raise the Age renovations.
- (3) \$2,000,000 to support inmate construction projects for completing construction of the Youth Development Center in Rockingham County.

Section 2 extends the effective date of Section 4.15 of S.L. 2020-3, which allows private security guards that are properly trained to provide security services related to entry and exit, direction and movement of individuals at entry and exit, security working towers, and perimeter security patrols at a State prison facility. These security guards will allow certified corrections officers to assist in guarding State prison inmates during the completion of projects directed in Section 1 of this act.

Section 3 is boilerplate language providing that the State Budget Act is not superseded by this act.

Section 4 is boilerplate language providing that other bills enacted during the 2019 Regular Session of the General Assembly appropriating funds remain in effect.

Section 5 sets the effective date of the bill to July 1, 2020.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2020.

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