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## Juvenile Offenders Legislation Amendment Bill 2004

### Explanatory note

This explanatory note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament.

#### Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to amend the *Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987*, the *Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987* and the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999* so as:

- (a) to enable offenders who are dealt with under the *Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987* (otherwise than by the Children's Court) to be required to serve any sentence of imprisonment imposed on them either at a detention centre or at a proposed juvenile correctional centre, and
- (b) to modify the scheme established under the *Children (Detention Centres) Act* 1987 for the transfer of juvenile offenders between detention centres and correctional centres, and
- (c) to provide for the management of juvenile offenders within the correctional centre system under the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999*, including, in particular, the establishment of juvenile correctional centres within that system.

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#### Outline of provisions

Clause 1 sets out the name (also called the short title) of the proposed Act.

**Clause 2** provides for the commencement of the proposed Act on a day or days to be appointed by proclamation.

Clause 3 is a formal provision that gives effect to the amendments to the *Children* (*Criminal Proceedings*) Act 1987 set out in Schedule 1.

**Clause 4** is a formal provision that gives effect to the amendments to the *Children* (*Detention Centres*) Act 1987 set out in Schedule 2.

**Clause 5** is a formal provision that gives effect to the amendments to the *Crimes* (*Administration of Sentences*) Act 1999 set out in Schedule 3.

#### Schedule 1 Amendment of Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987

Schedule 1 [2] amends section 19 of the Act so that an order under that section will require a sentence of imprisonment imposed by a court to be served "as a juvenile offender" rather than, as is currently the case, "in a detention centre". As referred to in the note to be inserted in section 19 by Schedule 1 [3], this amendment removes any implication that the sentence must be served at a detention centre, and supports the scheme whereby young offenders may, in accordance with the proposed amendments to the *Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987*, be transferred to a proposed juvenile correctional centre. Schedule 1 [1] is a consequential amendment that ensures that the proposed note does not form part of the Act.

**Schedule 1 [4]** further amends section 19 of the Act to ensure that the warrant of commitment that is issued in connection with a sentence of imprisonment the subject of an order under that section is appropriately addressed.

**Schedule 1** [5] amends Schedule 2 to the Act so as to enable savings and transitional regulations to be made as a consequence of the enactment of the proposed Act.

Schedule 1 [6] further amends Schedule 2 so as to enact savings and transitional provisions consequent on the enactment of the proposed Act.

#### Schedule 2 Amendment of Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987

## Transfers of juvenile inmates from correctional centres to detention centres

**Schedule 2** [5] substitutes section 10 of the Act. The new section allows juvenile inmates of a correctional centre to be transferred to a detention centre by order of the Minister administering the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999* made with the consent of the Minister administering the *Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987* (an existing power) and also allows juvenile inmates of a juvenile correctional centre

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to be transferred by order of the Commissioner of Corrective Services made with the consent of the Director-General of the Department of Juvenile Justice (a new power). The Commissioner may only exercise the new power in relation to juvenile inmates who have previously been transferred to the correctional centre system from a detention centre. Existing provisions concerning the effect of a transfer on the transferee are continued.

Schedule 2 [4] makes a consequential amendment to section 3 of the Act.

## Transfers of older detainees from detention centres to juvenile correctional centres

**Schedule 2 [8]** substitutes section 28 of the Act. The new section allows older detainees (that is, detainees who are over 16) to be transferred to a juvenile correctional centre by order of the Director-General of the Department of Juvenile Justice made with the consent of the Commissioner of Corrective Services. This replaces the existing scheme under which transfers to a correctional centre are effected by order of the Minister administering the *Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987* made with the consent of the Minister administering the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999*. Such an order will not be able to be made unless the detainee has previously been transferred to a detention centre from a correctional centre, is on remand for a serious children's indictable offence, has been committed to a detention centre under section 19 of the *Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987* or has behaved in a way that warrants transfer. Existing provisions concerning the effect of a transfer on the transferee are continued.

Schedule 2 [2] makes consequential amendments to section 3.

#### Miscellaneous amendments

**Schedule 2** [11] amends section 28BA of the Act to clarify that a person who serves a term of imprisonment in a correctional centre as a consequence of having committed a detention centre offence must remain in custody in a correctional centre for any unexpired portion of a detention order and for the remainder of any period of remand to which he or she is subject. **Schedule 2** [12] further amends section 28BA so as to omit provisions that allow the Children's Court to direct that the person be returned to a detention centre.

Schedule 2 [3] amends section 3 as a consequence of the amendments to section 19 of the *Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987* that are made by Schedule 1 [2].

Schedule 2 [1], [6], [7], [9], [10], [13], [14] and [15] make law revision amendments to sections 3, 17, 24, 28A, 28B, 28E, 28F and 32 in relation to certain nomenclature.

**Schedule 2** [16] amends Schedule 1 to the Act so as to enable savings and transitional regulations to be made as a consequence of the enactment of the proposed Act.

Schedule 2 [17] further amends Schedule 1 so as to insert a new Part heading.

Schedule 2 [18] further amends Schedule 1 so as to enact savings and transitional provisions consequent on the enactment of the proposed Act.

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## Schedule 3 Amendment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999

#### Establishment of juvenile correctional centres

**Schedule 3 [8]** inserts proposed section 225A into the Act. The new section enables the Governor to declare a correctional centre to be a juvenile correctional centre for the purposes of the Act. **Schedule 3 [1] and [2]** make consequential amendments to section 3 (containing the definitions used in the Act).

#### Treatment of juvenile inmates

Schedule 3 [5] inserts proposed Division 3A into Part 2 of the Act. The new Division contains the following provisions:

Proposed section 41A defines, for the purposes of the proposed Division, the expressions *adult correctional centre* (meaning a correctional centre that is not a juvenile correctional centre), *juvenile inmate* (meaning an inmate who is under the age of 21 years) and *section 28 juvenile inmate* (meaning a juvenile inmate who has been transferred to a juvenile correctional centre under proposed section 28 of the *Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987*).

Proposed section 41B requires a section 28 juvenile inmate to be held in custody in a juvenile correctional centre, subject to the Act.

Proposed section 41C deals with the transfer of juvenile inmates between juvenile and adult correctional centres. Transfers "down" (from an adult to a juvenile correctional centre) are effected by an order by the Commissioner of Corrective Services. Transfers "up" (from a juvenile to an adult correctional centre) are effected by an order by the Minister administering the Act. An order for a transfer up cannot be made except on the recommendation of the Commissioner (in the case of a juvenile inmate who is over 18) or the Serious Offenders Review Council (in the case of a juvenile inmate who is under 18). In either case, a recommendation cannot be made unless the Commissioner or Review Council, as the case may be, is satisfied that the inmate wants to be transferred, that the inmate's behaviour is such as to warrant the transfer, that the transfer is in the inmate's best interests or that the inmate is a security threat.

Proposed section 41D sets out the procedure to be followed for the purpose of obtaining a recommendation from the Serious Offenders Review Council for the purposes of proposed section 41C. The Commissioner must apply for an inquiry. The juvenile inmate the subject of the inquiry is entitled to be heard, and to be legally represented. For the purposes of the inquiry, the Review Council must co-opt a Children's Magistrate or former Children's Magistrate or a legal practitioner of 7 years' standing who has experience as a children's advocate (unless such a person is already a member of the Review Council and is available for the inquiry). The co-opted person has all of the powers and immunities of a member of the Review Council.

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**Schedule 3 [3]** amends section 23 of the Act (which deals with the transfer of inmates) so as to prevent juvenile inmates who are under the age of 18 years from being transferred to adult correctional centres except in restricted circumstances. The transfer of these inmates to adult correctional centres will be wholly governed by proposed section 41C.

**Schedule 3 [7]** amends section 197 of the Act (which lists the functions of the Serious Offenders Review Council) so as to ensure that the section reflects the functions being conferred on the Review Council under proposed Division 3A of Part 2.

Schedule 3 [4] and [6] make consequential amendments to sections 38 and 72 of the Act.

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No , 2004

#### A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987*, the *Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987* and the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999* in relation to juvenile offenders; and for other purposes.

The	Legislature of New South Wales enacts:	1
1	Name of Act	2
	This Act is the Juvenile Offenders Legislation Amendment Act 2004.	3
2	Commencement	4
	This Act commences on a day or days to be appointed by proclamation.	5
3	Amendment of Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987 No 55	6
	The <i>Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987</i> is amended as set out in Schedule 1.	7 8
4	Amendment of Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987 No 57	9
	The Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987 is amended as set out in Schedule 2.	10 11
5	Amendment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999 No 93	12
	The Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999 is amended as set out in Schedule 3.	13 14

Amendment of Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987

Scł	Schedule 1 Amendment of Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987		
		(Section 3)	3
[1]	Section 3	Definitions	4
	Insert after	section 3 (3):	5
	(4)	Notes included in this Act do not form part of this Act.	6
[2]	Section 19 offender	O Court may direct imprisonment to be served as a juvenile	7 8
	Omit "in a	detention centre" wherever occurring.	9
	Insert inste	ad "as a juvenile offender".	10
[3]	Section 19	9 (1)	11
	Insert at the	e end of the subsection:	12
		<b>Note.</b> The effect of such an order is that the person to whom the order relates will be committed to a detention centre (see subsection (6)). There he or she will be detained as specified in the order. In certain circumstances, he or she may subsequently be transferred to a juvenile correctional centre pursuant to an order under section 28 of the <i>Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987</i> .	13 14 15 16 17 18
[4]	Section 19	9 (6)	19
	Insert after	section 19 (5):	20
	(6)	The warrant of commitment that is issued under section 62 of the <i>Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999</i> in relation to a sentence of imprisonment the subject of an order under this section:	21 22 23
		(a) must indicate that the sentence is the subject of such an order, and	24 25
		(b) must specify how much of the sentence is to be served as a juvenile offender, and	26 27
		(c) must, despite the provisions of that section, commit the person to whom it relates to a detention centre.	28 29
[5]	Schedule 2	2 Savings and transitional provisions	30
	Insert at the	e end of clause 1 (1):	31
		Schedule 1 to the Juvenile Offenders Legislation Amendment Act 2004	32 33

Schedule 1 Amendment of Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987

[6]	Sche	edule 2	P, Part 12	1
	Inser	t after	Part 11:	2
	Par	rt 12	Provisions consequent on enactment of	3
			Juvenile Offenders Legislation	4
			Amendment Act 2004	5
	15	Sect	ion 19 orders	6
			An order in force under section 19 (1), as in force immediately before its amendment by Schedule 1 [2] to the <i>Juvenile Offenders Legislation Amendment Act 2004</i> , is taken, on that commencement, to be an order under that section, as so amended.	7 8 9 10
	16	Warr	ants of commitment	11
			Section 19 (6), as inserted by Schedule 1 [4] to the <i>Juvenile Offenders Legislation Amendment Act 2004</i> , does not apply to a warrant of commitment issued before the commencement of that subsection.	12 13 14 15

Amendment of Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987

Schedule 2

#### Amendment of Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987 Schedule 2

(Section 4)

[1]	Section 3 Definitions	4
	Omit the definitions of <i>classified person</i> , <i>prison</i> and <i>prisoner</i> from section $3(1)$ .	5 6
[2]	Section 3 (1)	7
	Insert in alphabetical order:	8
	<i>correctional centre</i> has the same meaning as it has in the <i>Crimes</i> (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999.	9 10
	<i>inmate</i> has the same meaning as it has in the <i>Crimes</i> (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999.	11 12
	<i>juvenile correctional centre</i> has the same meaning as it has in the <i>Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999.</i>	13 14
	<i>juvenile inmate</i> means an inmate who is under the age of 21 years.	15 16
	<i>older detainee</i> means a detainee who is of or above the age of 16 years.	17 18
[3]	Section 3 (1), definition of "detention order"	19
	Omit "in a detention centre," from paragraph (a) of the definition.	20
	Insert instead "as a juvenile offender, and pursuant to which the court has committed the person to a detention centre, or".	21 22
[4]	Section 3 (1), definition of "detention order"	23
	Omit paragraph (c) of the definition. Insert instead:	24
	<ul> <li>(c) an order in force under section 10 of this Act whereby the Minister administering the <i>Crimes (Administration of</i> <i>Sentences) Act 1999</i> or the Commissioner of Corrective Services has directed the transfer of a juvenile inmate from a correctional centre or juvenile correctional centre, as the case may be, to a detention centre.</li> </ul>	25 26 27 28 29 30

Schedule 2 Amendment of Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987

[5]	Section 10					
	Omit	t the se	ection. Insert instead:	2		
	10	Tran cent	nsfer of juvenile inmates from correctional centres to detention tres	3 4		
		(1)	The Minister administering the <i>Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999</i> may, by order in writing made with the consent of the Minister administering this Act, direct the transfer of a juvenile inmate from a correctional centre to a detention centre.	5 6 7 8 9		
		(2)	The Commissioner of Corrective Services may, by order in writing made with the consent of the Director-General, direct the transfer of a juvenile inmate from a juvenile correctional centre to a detention centre.	10 11 12 13		
		(3)	An order may not be made under subsection (2) in respect of a juvenile inmate unless he or she is an inmate pursuant to an order under section 28 whereby he or she has been transferred from a detention centre to a juvenile correctional centre.	14 15 16 17		
		(4)	When an inmate is transferred from a correctional centre to a detention centre pursuant to an order under this section:	18 19		
			(a) he or she ceases to be an inmate and becomes a person on remand or a person subject to control, as the case requires, and	20 21 22		
			(b) in the case of a person who becomes a person subject to control, the unexpired portion of the sentence or sentences of imprisonment to which he or she was subject when the order was made is taken to be the period for which he or she is required, under this Act, to be detained in a detention centre.	23 24 25 26 27 28		
[6]	Sect	ion 17	7 Private property	29		
	Omit	t "priso	on" wherever occurring in section 17 (2) (b).	30		
	Inser	t inste	ead "correctional centre".	31		
[7]	Sect etc	ion 24	4 Persons subject to control may be granted leave, discharged	32 33		
	Omit	t section 24 (2). Insert instead:				
	(2) An order under subsection (1) (b) or (c) may not be made in relation to a person who is a person subject to control pursuant to an order in force under section 10 of this Act or section 19 (1) of the <i>Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987</i> .					

Amendment of Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987

[8]	Sect	ion 28	5		1
	Omit	t the se	ection.	Insert instead:	2
	28			f older detainees from detention centres to juvenile al centres	3 4
		(1)	conse trans	Director-General may, by order in writing made with the ent of the Commissioner of Corrective Services, direct the fer of an older detainee from a detention centre to a juvenile octional centre.	5 6 7 8
		(2)		rder may not be made under subsection (1) in respect of a nee unless:	9 10
			(a)	he or she is a person on remand or a person subject to control by reason of an order in force under section 10, or	11 12
			(b)	he or she is a person on remand in relation to a serious children's indictable offence within the meaning of the <i>Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987</i> , or	13 14 15
			(c)	he or she is a person subject to control by reason of an order in force under section 19 of the <i>Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987</i> , or	16 17 18
			(d)	the Director-General is satisfied that the detainee's behaviour is or has been such as warrants the making of such an order.	19 20 21
		(3)		n a detainee is transferred from a detention centre to a nile correctional centre pursuant to an order under this on:	22 23 24
			(a)	he or she ceases to be a detainee and becomes an inmate, and	25 26
			(b)	in the case of a detainee who, having been a person subject to control, becomes a convicted inmate within the meaning of the <i>Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999</i> , the period for which he or she was required, under this Act, to be detained in a detention centre when the order was made is taken to be the unexpired portion of a sentence of imprisonment to which he or she is subject.	27 28 29 30 31 32 33
[9]	Sect	ion 28	A Cert	tain children may be remanded in correctional centres	34
	Omit	t "priso	on" fro	m section 28A (2). Insert instead "correctional centre".	35
[10]	Sect cent		B Cert	tain children etc may be committed to correctional	36 37
	Omit	t "priso	on" fro	m section 28B (2). Insert instead "a correctional centre".	38

Schedule 2 Amendment of Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987

[11]	Section 28BA Certain persons to serve balance of detention order in correctional centre				
	Omit section 28BA (2). Insert instead:				
	(2)	of in	en such a person is no longer required to serve his or her term nprisonment in custody, the person must be kept in custody correctional centre:	4 5 6	
		(a)	for the balance of any unexpired term of a detention order to which he or she is then subject, and	7 8	
		(b)	for the remainder of any period of remand to which he or she is then subject or to which he or she becomes subject while in custody as referred to in paragraph (a).	9 10 11	
[12]	Section 2	28BA (4	), (5) and (6)	12	
	Omit the	subsecti	ons.	13	
[13]	Section 2	28E Cor	nsideration of suitability for detention centre	14	
	Omit "pri	son" fro	om section 28E (1) (e). Insert instead "a correctional centre".	15	
[14]	Section 2 of Senter	8F Con nces) A	nsent of Minister administering Crimes (Administration ct 1999 required	16 17	
	Omit "pri	son" fro	om section 28F (1) wherever occurring.	18	
	Insert inst	ead "a c	correctional centre".	19	
[15]	Section 3	2 Term	ination of detention orders	20	
	Omit "pri	son" fro	om section 32 (c) and (d) wherever occurring.	21	
	Insert inst	tead "co	prrectional centre".	22	
[16]	Schedule	e 1 Savi	ngs and transitional provisions	23	
	Insert at t	he begir	nning of the Schedule:	24	
	Part 1	Pre	eliminary	25	
	1A Sav	vings a	nd transitional regulations	26	
	(1)		regulations may contain provisions of a savings or sitional nature consequent on the enactment of the following	27 28 29	
		Juve	nile Offenders Legislation Amendment Act 2004	30	
	(2)		n a provision may, if the regulations so provide, take effect in the date of assent to the Act concerned or a later day.	31 32	

Amendment of Children	(Detention	Centres) Act 1987	7
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		(3)	that i	the extent to which such a provision takes effect from a date is earlier than the date of its publication in the Gazette, the ision does not operate so as:	1 2 3		
			(a)	to affect, in a manner prejudicial to any person (other than the State or an authority of the State), the rights of that person existing before the date of that publication, or	4 5 6		
			(b)	to impose liabilities on any person (other than the State or an authority of the State) in respect of anything done or omitted to be done before the date of that publication.	7 8 9		
[17]	Sche	dule 1			10		
	Omit	the he	ading	appearing before clause 1. Insert instead:	11		
	Par	t 2	Chi	visions consequent on enactment of Idren (Detention Centres) Amendment 1988	12 13 14		
[18]	Sche	edule 2	. Part	3	15		
[]		t after	•		16		
	Par	t 3	Pro	visions consequent on enactment of	17		
	i uit o		Juvenile Offenders Legislation				
				endment Act 2004	19		
	3	Defir	ition		20		
				nis Part, the 2004 amending Act means the Juvenile nders Legislation Amendment Act 2004.	21 22		
	4	Secti	on 10	transfer orders	23		
			amen	substitution of section 10 by Schedule 2 [5] to the 2004 adding Act does not affect any transfer made under that on before the section was substituted.	24 25 26		
	5	Secti	on 28	transfer orders	27		
			amen	substitution of section 28 by Schedule 2 [8] to the 2004 adding Act does not affect any transfer made under that on before the section was substituted.	28 29 30		
	6	Secti	on 28	BA applications	31		
				amendment of section 28BA by Schedule 2 [12] to the 2004 adding Act does not affect any application made before that	32 33		

Schedule 2 Amendment of Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987

amendment, and proceedings on such an application may be continued and completed, and any decision on such an application has effect, as if that amendment had not been made. 1 2 3

Amendment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999

# Schedule 3 Amendment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999

(Section 5)

[1]	Section 3	Interpretation	4
	centre" afte	ncluding any juvenile correctional centre or periodic detention er "section 225" in paragraph (a) of the definition of <i>correctional</i> ection 3 (1).	5 6 7
[2]	Section 3	(1)	8
	Insert in alj	phabetical order: <i>juvenile correctional centre</i> means any correctional centre declared to be a juvenile correctional centre by a proclamation in force under section 225A.	9 10 11 12
[3]	Section 23	Transfers from one correctional centre to another	13
	Insert at the	e end of the section:	14
	(2)	In relation to an inmate who is under the age of 18 years, such an order may not be made on a ground referred to in subsection (1) (d), (e) or (f) so as to transfer the inmate from a juvenile correctional centre to a correctional centre that is not a juvenile correctional centre. Note. Such an inmate may only be transferred to such a correctional centre in accordance with section 41C (2).	15 16 17 18 19 20 21
[4]	Section 38	Absent inmates taken to be in custody	22
	Insert "or 4	1C" after "section 23" in section 38 (1) (b).	23
[5]	Part 2, Div	ision 3A	24
	Insert after	Division 3 of Part 2:	25
	Division	3A Juvenile inmates	26
	41A Defi	nitions	27
		In this Division:	28
		<i>adult correctional centre</i> means a correctional centre that is not a juvenile correctional centre.	29 30
		<i>juvenile inmate</i> means an inmate who is under the age of 21 years.	31 32

Schedule 3 Amendment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999

		<i>section 28 juvenile inmate</i> means a juvenile inmate who has been transferred to a juvenile correctional centre pursuant to an order under section 28 of the <i>Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987.</i>	1 2 3
41B	Cust	ody of section 28 juvenile inmates	4
		Subject to this Act, a section 28 juvenile inmate is to be held in custody in a juvenile correctional centre.	5 6
41C	Tran	sfers to and from juvenile correctional centres	7
	(1)	The Commissioner may order that a juvenile inmate be transferred from an adult correctional centre to a juvenile correctional centre for any reason specified in the order.	8 9 10
	(2)	The Minister may order that a juvenile inmate be transferred from a juvenile correctional centre to an adult correctional centre if:	11 12
		(a) the Commissioner, in the case of a juvenile inmate who is of or above the age of 18 years, or	13 14
		(b) the Review Council, in the case of a juvenile inmate who is under the age of 18 years,	15 16
		recommends to the Minister that the inmate should be transferred.	17 18
	(3)	A recommendation for the transfer of a juvenile inmate from a juvenile correctional centre to an adult correctional centre may not be made unless the Commissioner or Review Council, as the case may be, is satisfied that:	19 20 21 22
		(a) the inmate wishes to be transferred, or	23
		(b) the inmate's behaviour is or has been such that he or she should be transferred, or	24 25
		(c) it is in the inmate's best interests that he or she be transferred, or	26 27
		(d) the association of the inmate with other juvenile inmates at the juvenile correctional centre constitutes, or is likely to constitute, a threat to:	28 29 30
		(i) the personal safety of any other person, or	31
		(ii) the security of the juvenile correctional centre, or	32
		(iii) good order and discipline within the juvenile correctional centre.	33 34

#### Amendment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999

	(4)	Subsection (2) does not limit the operation of section 23 (1) in relation to juvenile inmates who are of or above the age of 18 years. <b>Note.</b> Section 23 (2) limits the operation of section 23 (1) in relation to juvenile inmates who are under the age of 18 years.	1 2 3 4 5
41D	Procedure to be followed by Review Council as to transfer of juvenile inmate to adult correctional centre		
	(1)	On the application of the Commissioner, the Review Council is to conduct an inquiry for the purpose of deciding whether or not to recommend the transfer of a juvenile inmate from a juvenile correctional centre to an adult correctional centre, as referred to in section $41C(2)$ (b).	8 9 10 11 12
	(2)	In conducting an inquiry under this section, the Review Council is not bound by the rules of evidence but may inform itself of any matter in such manner as it thinks appropriate.	13 14 15
	(3)	The Review Council must cause notice of any hearing in relation to an inquiry under this section to be given to the Commissioner and to the juvenile inmate to whom the inquiry relates.	16 17 18
	(4)	If the inmate so wishes, the Review Council must allow the juvenile inmate to be present, and to be heard, at the hearing.	19 20
	(5)	The juvenile inmate may be represented by a legal practitioner chosen by the inmate or, if the Review Council so approves, by some other person chosen by the inmate.	21 22 23
	(6)	The Commissioner may be represented by a legal practitioner or by some other person.	24 25
	(7)	For the purposes of an inquiry under this section, the Review Council must co-opt a person who is:	26 27
		(a) a Children's Magistrate or former Children's Magistrate, or	28 29
		(b) a legal practitioner of at least 7 years' standing who has experience as an advocate on behalf of children,	30 31
		unless such a person is already a member of the Review Council and is available for the inquiry.	32 33

Schedule 3 Amendment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999

<ul> <li>constituted for the a judicial member,</li> <li>(ii) as a judicial member,</li> <li>(b) is taken, for the purposed member or community in has, in relation to the member or community in has, in relation to the member of such a mere</li> <li>(9) Division 2 of Part 9 applies to Review Council under this section</li> <li>[6] Section 72 Custody of inmates</li> <li>Insert "or 41C" after "section 23" in section</li> <li>[7] Section 197 Functions of Review Council Insert after section 197 (2) (d):</li> <li>(d1) to make recommendation the transfer of juvenile in</li> </ul>	mber, if the Review Council, as purposes of the inquiry, includes or eer, if the Review Council, as purposes of the inquiry, does not judicial member, and e of the inquiry, to be a judicial 10 ember, as the case may be, and 11 ember, as the case may be, and 12 ber. 13 he conduct of an inquiry by the 14 on. 15					
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