



House of Representatives

General Assembly

File No. 630

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House Bill No. 5423

House of Representatives, April 14, 2026

The Committee on Appropriations reported through REP. WALKER of the 93rd Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING JUVENILE JUSTICE INITIATIVES.

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) Not later than July 1, 2026, the
2 executive director of the Court Support Services Division of the Judicial
3 Branch shall report, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a
4 of the general statutes, to the joint standing committees of the General
5 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to the judiciary and
6 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies on the usage of court
7 support services for the previous fiscal year and recommendations for
8 expansion of such services.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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APP Joint Favorable

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OFA Fiscal Note**State Impact:** None**Municipal Impact:** None**Explanation**

The bill requires the executive director of the Court Support Services Division (CSSD) of the Judicial Branch to report on the expansion of community support services, resulting in no fiscal impact because CSSD has the expertise and resources to complete the report.

The Out Years**State Impact:** None**Municipal Impact:** None

OFA Bill Analysis
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AN ACT CONCERNING JUVENILE JUSTICE INITIATIVES.

SUMMARY

This bill requires the executive director of the Court Support Services Division of the Judicial Branch, by 7/1/2026, to submit a report to Judiciary and Appropriations Committees on the usage of court support services for the previous fiscal year and recommendations for expansion of these services.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon passage

COMMITTEE ACTION

Appropriations Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 49 Nay 2 (4/1/2026)