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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CORRECTIONS.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1           SECTION 1. The director of public safety shall submit a  
2 report to the legislature, not later than twenty days prior to  
3 the convening of the regular session of 2018, which addresses  
4 solitary confinement in Hawaii and Arizona correctional  
5 facilities that house Hawaii inmates, and includes:

6           (1) The number of inmates housed in solitary confinement;  
7           (2) In cases where an inmate's length of stay in  
8           administrative segregation is fourteen days or more or  
9           length of stay in disciplinary segregation is sixty  
10           days or more, the director of public safety shall  
11           explain the reasons for an inmate's segregation;

12           (3) The number of transgender inmates housed in solitary  
13           confinement, the reasons for their segregation, and  
14           the length of stay of their solitary confinement; and  
15           (4) Any other information that the director of public  
16           safety may deem relevant for this report.



1 SECTION 2. (a) The department of public safety shall  
2 expand the current environmental impact statement process for  
3 potential sites for the Oahu community correctional center  
4 relocation by:

5 (1) Considering alternative sites of 4.5 acres in size or  
6 larger and providing a list of alternative sites and  
7 the reasons for adding or omitting the alternative  
8 sites from consideration as potential sites for the  
9 Oahu community correctional center relocation; and

10 (2) Consulting with the task force created by house  
11 concurrent resolution no. 85 (2016) and the  
12 corrections population management commission about the  
13 appropriate capacity and design of the relocated Oahu  
14 community correctional center in view of changes to  
15 the criminal justice system in areas of pre-trial  
16 diversion programs, expansion of Hawaii's Opportunity  
17 Probation with Enforcement (HOPE) program and other  
18 probation programs, expansion of work furlough, and  
19 the use of other alternatives to incarceration  
20 programs.



1 (b) The director of public safety shall submit a report  
2 with respect to paragraphs (1) and (2) to the legislature no  
3 later than twenty days prior to the convening of the regular  
4 session of 2018.

5 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2017.



**Report Title:**

Corrections; Correctional Facilities; Administrative and  
Disciplinary Segregation; Oahu Community Correctional Center  
Relocation; Report

**Description:**

Requires report to Legislature on solitary confinement in Hawaii  
and Arizona correctional facilities that house Hawaii inmates.  
Requires Department of Public Safety to expand the environmental  
impact statement process for potential sites for the Oahu  
Community Correctional Center relocation and submit a report to  
Legislature. (SB603 HD1)

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