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Synopsis of House Committee Amendments

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S.B. 198 of the 135th General Assembly

House State and Local Government

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Citizenship for participation

- Requires the state identification card and employment document assistance programs, created by the bill, to be used by DRC and DYS for prisoners and youth who are U.S. citizens only. (*R.C. 4507.50, 5120.59, 5139.511, and 5145.1611*)

Local jail funding

- For local jail facility projects, retroactively makes the currently required state's portion of the basic project cost a minimum amount, (e.g., if the state's portion under current law is 80%, the state's portion under the amendment would be a minimum of 80%, and the state could elect to provide a greater amount. Continuing law provides the state's portion cannot fall below 25%.)
- Retroactively allows DRC to establish guidelines for multicounty project applications. (*Section 383.10 of H.B. 33 of the 135th General Assembly; Section 6*)