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By Senator Gildon

1 Beginning on page 1, line 10, after "life." strike all material
2 through "jurisdiction" on page 2, line 20 and insert "Accordingly,
3 the legislature recognizes that periodic systemic reviews are
4 necessary to ensure our system of juvenile justice is in keeping with
5 the most up-to-date evidence-based practices. Therefore, the
6 legislature intends to convene a task force to study age-appropriate
7 jurisdiction of juvenile courts and make recommendations to the
8 legislature for any suggested changes"

9 On page 3, line 27, after "expansion" insert "to raise the
10 minimum age from eight years old to 13 years old and"

11 On page 4, line 5, after "19 years old" insert ", as well as the
12 costs to raise the minimum age for the juvenile court jurisdiction to
13 13 years old"

14 Beginning on page 4, line 30, strike all of sections 3 through 5

15 Renumber the remaining section consecutively and correct any
16 internal references accordingly.

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17 On page 1, beginning on line 1 of the title, after "court;"
18 strike all material through "13.40.600;" on line 2

EFFECT: Replaces the intent language to reflect changes in the underlying bill. Requires an age raise for the juvenile justice task force to consider and provide recommendations regarding implementation of the juvenile court jurisdiction's minimum age

increase from age 8 to age 13 and restores the minimum age of the juvenile court jurisdiction to 8 years of age.

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