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**EXECUTIVE ORDER
No. 2017 - 12**

**MICHIGAN COMMITTEE ON JUVENILE JUSTICE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

RESCISSION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 2012-16

AMENDMENT OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 2012-1

WHEREAS, Section 1 of Article V of the Michigan Constitution of 1963 vests the executive power of the state of Michigan in the Governor; and

WHEREAS, under Section 8 of Article V of the Michigan Constitution of 1963 each principal department of state government is under the supervision of the Governor unless otherwise provided by the Constitution; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 2012-1 created the Michigan Committee on Juvenile Justice (the "Committee") as an advisory body within the Department of Human Services to promote the effective implementation of juvenile justice policy and greater administrative efficiency for juvenile justice programs and to satisfy federal requirements under the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 (the "JJDP Act"), 42 USC § 5601 *et seq.*, for receiving grant funds to support juvenile justice initiatives; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 2012-16 amended Executive Order 2012-1 to create the State Advisory Group Subcommittee within the Committee to serve a purpose that will now be carried out by the Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Committee was transferred to the Department of Health and Human Services by Executive Order 2015-4; and

WHEREAS, the terms of all members currently serving on the Committee will end at the same time on December 31, 2017, and staggering the terms of Committee members going forward will promote continuity and efficiency in the operations of the Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Richard D. Snyder, Governor of the state of Michigan, by virtue of the power and authority vested in the Governor by the Michigan Constitution of 1963 and Michigan law, order the following:

I. RESCISSION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 2012-16

A. Executive Order 2012-16, which amended Executive Order 2012-1 by creating the State Advisory Group Subcommittee is rescinded.

B. The State Advisory Group Subcommittee created by Executive Order 2012-16 is abolished.

C. All functions that were transferred from the Committee to the State Advisory Group Subcommittee under Executive Order 2012-16 are transferred back to the Committee.

II. EFFECTIVENESS OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 2012-1

Executive Order 2012-1, which created the Committee, remains in full force and effect, in accordance with its original terms, except as amended by this Order.

III. COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

Section III of Executive Order 2012-1 is amended to provide as follows:

A. The Governor shall appoint not less than 15 and not more than 33 members to the Committee. All members appointed to the Committee shall have training or experience within the juvenile justice system, or special knowledge concerning the prevention and treatment of juvenile delinquency, the administration of juvenile justice, or the reduction of juvenile delinquency. Membership shall reflect the requirements established in the JJDP Act and shall include:

- At least one locally elected official representing general purpose local government;
- Representatives of law enforcement and juvenile justice agencies, which may include state or local police, a local sheriff's department, juvenile and family court judges, prosecutors, counsel for children and youth, and probation workers;
- Representatives of public agencies concerned with delinquency prevention or treatment, such as welfare, social services, mental health, education, special education, recreation, and youth services;
- Representatives of private nonprofit organizations, including persons with a special focus on the following: preserving and strengthening families, parent groups and parent self-help groups, youth development, delinquency prevention and treatment, neglected or dependent children, the quality of juvenile justice, education, religious and community groups, nongovernmental victim advocacy organizations, or social services for children;
- Volunteers who work with delinquents or potential delinquents;

- Youth workers involved with programs that are alternatives to incarceration, including programs providing organized recreation activities;
- Persons with special experience and competence in addressing problems related to school violence and vandalism and alternatives to suspension and expulsion;
- Persons with special experience and competence in addressing problems related to learning disabilities, emotional difficulties, child abuse and neglect, and youth violence; and
- Persons who have been, or are currently, involved in a juvenile justice program.

B. A majority of Committee members, including the Chairperson, shall not be full-time employees of the federal, state, or local government; at least one-fifth of the members shall be under the age of 24 at the time of appointment; and at least three members under the age of 24, shall be persons who have been, or are currently, under the jurisdiction of the juvenile justice system.

C. The Governor shall designate a Chairperson of the Committee.

D. A quorum shall consist of one-third of the members serving plus one.

E. A vacancy on the Committee occurring other than by expiration of a term shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment for the balance of the unexpired term. A member may continue to serve beyond his or her term until a successor is appointed. A member may serve successive terms if reappointed.

F. Of the members initially appointed or reappointed to form the full Committee membership after the current terms of all Committee members expire effective December 31, 2017, one-third shall be appointed or reappointed to terms expiring on December 31, 2018, one-third shall be appointed or reappointed to terms expiring on December 31, 2019, and one-third shall be appointed or reappointed to terms expiring on December 31, 2020. Thereafter, members of the Committee shall be appointed or reappointed to terms of three years.

G. Members who have attended less than 66 percent of the scheduled meetings in any calendar year shall be considered to have vacated their appointment. Upon notification, the Governor shall fill the vacancy in the same manner as the original appointment.

H. Members of the Committee shall serve without compensation but may receive reimbursement for those actual expenses incurred that are reimbursable under the laws, rules, and practices of the state, subject to available appropriations.

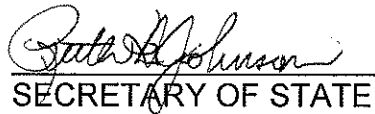
This Executive Order shall become effective January 1, 2018.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the state of Michigan this 19th day of December, in the Year of our Lord Two Thousand Seventeen



RICHARD D. SNYDER
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:


SECRETARY OF STATE

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