

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2025-2026 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

April 4, 2025

Introduced by Sen. LANZA -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Crime Victims, Crime and Correction

AN ACT to amend the correction law, in relation to the confinement of incarcerated individuals under the age of eighteen

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. The opening paragraph of subdivision 6 of section 137 of
2 the correction law, as amended by chapter 322 of the laws of 2021, is
3 amended to read as follows:

4 Except as provided in paragraphs (d) and (e) of this subdivision, the
5 superintendent of a correctional facility may keep any incarcerated
6 individual, other than incarcerated individuals under the age of eigh-
7 teen years who shall not be placed in segregated confinement for any
8 reason, confined in a cell or room, apart from the accommodations
9 provided for incarcerated individuals who are participating in programs
10 of the facility, for such period as may be necessary for maintenance of
11 order or discipline, but in any such case the following conditions shall
12 be observed:

13 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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