

**SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

**HB 2515**

**Relating to correctional facilities**

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HB 2515 requires correctional facilities to provide a range of sanitary products to adults in custody at no cost, and to keep a sufficient supply of such products on hand.

The Department of Corrections currently provides regular absorbency sanitary products, but not super absorbency products, postpartum pads, or panty liners. The cost of providing these items to adults in custody is estimated to be \$102,108 in the 2019-21 biennium. The recommended amendment adds a General Fund appropriation of \$102,108 to the Department's budget for the upcoming biennium.

The Public Safety Subcommittee recommends HB 2515 be amended by the -A6 amendment and be reported out do pass, as amended.