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SB 310 HASB

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Bill Analysis

SB 310 requires the court to give consideration to the statements of the victim or victims of a juvenile crime when ruling on any motions for certification as a youthful offender or an alleged juvenile delinquent. The measure also removes rape in the 1st degree from the list of crimes designating an offender aged 15-17 as a youthful offender. Additionally, the measure provides that any person aged 15-17 who is charged with rape in the first degree or attempted rape in the first degree may be held accountable for his or her act as if the person was an adult.

House Amendments

HA's to the measure adds the provision holding persons aged 15-17 accountable as an adult for the crimes of first degree or attempted rape in the first degree.

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