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Present law allows a court to modify the sentence of a juvenile, who was 14 or older when he committed felony grade first degree rape or aggravated kidnapping, prior to him being remanded to state custody.

Present law further requires a juvenile, who was 14 or older when he committed either armed robbery or carjacking, but not other crimes of violence, to be sentenced without benefit of probation or receiving a suspended or delayed execution of sentence.

Proposed law prohibits a court from modifying the sentence of a juvenile, who was 14 or older when he committed a crime of violence, prior to him serving either a minimum of 36 months or 2/3 of his sentence, if sentenced to less than 36 months.

Proposed law otherwise retains present law.

Effective March 1, 2024.

(Amends Ch.C. Art. 897.1(B), (C), and (D))