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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Alden A. Clement Jr.

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Present law provides definitions relative to delinquency proceedings. Present law further defines "child" as follows:

- (1) "Child" means any person under the age of 21, including an emancipated minor, who commits a delinquent act before attaining 17 years of age.
- (2) Beginning March 1, 2019, "child" means any person under the age of 21, including an emancipated minor, who commits a delinquent act on or after March 1, 2019, when the act is not a crime of violence and occurs before the person attains 18 years of age.
- (3) After June 30, 2020, "child" means any person under the age of 21, including an emancipated minor, who commits a delinquent act on or after July 1, 2020, and before the person attains 18 years of age.

Proposed law retains present law and adds that a child who is adjudicated delinquent pursuant to present law shall be offered educational services, vocational training, and counseling.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Adds Ch.C. Art. 804(1)(d))