

2026 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 345

BY SENATOR BARROW

JUVENILE JUSTICE. Requires the office of juvenile justice to submit an annual report to the legislature. (8/1/26)

1 AN ACT
2 To enact R.S. 15:933.2, relative to the office of juvenile justice; to provide for an annual
3 report to the legislature; and to provide for related matters.
4 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
5 Section 1. R.S. 15:933.2 is hereby enacted to read as follows:
6 **§933.2. Office of juvenile justice; annual report to the legislature**
7 **The secretary of the office of juvenile justice shall submit an annual**
8 **report on or before February first of each year to the Senate Committee on**
9 **Judiciary B and the David R. Poynter Legislative Research Library pursuant**
10 **to R.S. 24:771 and 772. The report shall, at a minimum, include the following**
11 **information:**
12 **(1) Prevention and intervention programs available to juveniles,**
13 **including school and community-based programs.**
14 **(2) Development of diversion programs with expanded eligibility.**
15 **(3) For juveniles in the custody of the office of juvenile justice, access to**
16 **educational resources and physical and mental health resources, including but**
17 **not limited to assessments and treatment.**

