



# ARIZONA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## **HB 2052: juveniles; detention centers; dangerous offenses**

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**BILL STATUS:** [Judiciary](#)

### **Overview**

Relating to juveniles charged with a dangerous offense and their detainment.

### **History**

A juvenile can in some circumstances be prosecuted as an adult ([A.R.S. § 13-501](#)). A juvenile who commits an offense eligible for prosecution as an adult may only be detained in a juvenile detention center if the offense is not a dangerous offense ([A.R.S. § 8-305](#)).

### **Provisions**

1. Deletes the definition of "dangerous offense" from this section (Sec 1).
2. Permits a court to order a juvenile charged with a dangerous offense to be detained in a juvenile detention center (Sec 1).
3. Makes conforming changes (Sec 1).

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