

(b) Upon consultation with the Governor, local governing body of the county, and the community in which the facility or institution is planned to be located, and in accordance with applicable standards concerning the location of prison facilities and correctional institutions:

(1) In the case of adult facilities, the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services may approve or disapprove the request for permission to build the facility or institution; and

(2) In the case of juvenile facilities, the Secretary of Juvenile [Services] JUSTICE may approve or disapprove the request for permission to build the facility or institution.

(c) Any other state or the District of Columbia may not begin construction on or otherwise locate a prison facility or correctional institution of any kind, for adults or juveniles, without first receiving approval from the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services in the case of adult facilities, or from the Secretary of Juvenile [Services] JUSTICE in the case of juvenile facilities.

(d) If any other state or the District of Columbia has an existing prison facility or correctional institution, of any kind, for adults or juveniles in this State, the other state or the District of Columbia may not increase the inmate population of that prison facility or correctional institution by more than 5 percent unless the other state or the District of Columbia first submits a written request for the increase to, and receives approval for the increase from, the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services in the case of adult facilities or the Secretary of Juvenile [Services] JUSTICE in the case of juvenile facilities.

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(f) If the person in interest is not reasonably available to give written consent, the following individuals, not listed in order of priority, may consent in writing to the release of information regarding a minor:

(1) An adult who has care and control of the minor;

(2) A court that has jurisdiction over a suit affecting the parent-child relationship of which the minor is the subject; or

(3) For minors in its care and custody, the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, the Department of Juvenile [Services] JUSTICE, or a local department of social services.

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(a) The members of the Council are:

(1) The Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene or the Secretary's designee;

(2) The Secretary of Human Resources or the Secretary's designee;