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MEMORANDUM

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TO: All Judges, Magistrates, and Court Administrators

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SUBJECT: Legislative Analysis – Michigan Joint Task Force on Jail and Pretrial Incarceration

A bipartisan package of 20 criminal justice reform bills, based on recommendations from the [Michigan Joint Task Force on Jail and Pretrial Incarceration](#), was signed into law late last year. The laws become effective throughout 2021, and affect many facets of the criminal justice system, including appearance tickets, warrants, sentencing, driver's license suspensions, decriminalization, probation, and parole.

The linked [Legislative Analysis](#) provides an overview of these laws and their impact on various court procedures. It is a resource for your court as we collectively implement these laws. Please feel free to contact your Regional Administrator with any questions.