

CHAPTER 2023-232

House Bill No. 119

An act relating to visiting county and municipal detention facilities; creating s. 951.225, F.S.; authorizing specified persons to visit at their pleasure county and municipal detention facilities; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Section 951.225, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

951.225 Persons authorized to visit county and municipal detention facilities.—The following persons who are elected or appointed to serve the county or municipality in which the county or municipal detention facility is located may visit such facility at their pleasure:

- (1) Members of the governing body of the county or municipality.
- (2) Members of the Legislature.
- (3) State court judges.
- (4) The state attorney.
- (5) The public defender.
- (6) The regional counsel.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2023.

Approved by the Governor June 13, 2023.

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