

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 17

BY JUDICIARY, RULES AND ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

A HOUSE RESOLUTION

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2 STATING FINDINGS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND SUPPORTING THE DEPART-
3 MENT OF CORRECTION'S REQUEST OF \$37.6 MILLION FROM THE PERMANENT BUILD-
4 ING FUND FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE MEDICAL ANNEX AT THE IDAHO STATE COR-
5 RECTIONAL INSTITUTION.

6 Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Idaho:

7 WHEREAS, the existing sprung structure, or medical annex, at the Idaho
8 State Correctional Institution has been the subject of litigation for
9 decades; and

10 WHEREAS, a remodel of the medical annex would reduce future litigation
11 risk; and

12 WHEREAS, a remodel of the medical annex would also provide for better
13 temperature control, increase access to natural light, and increase space
14 between residents; and

15 WHEREAS, in its proposed budget for fiscal year 2023, the Department of
16 Correction requested approximately \$37.6 million for improvements to its
17 medical annex.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the House of Represen-
19 tatives, assembled in the Second Regular Session of the Sixty-sixth Idaho
20 Legislature, that the House of Representatives supports the Idaho Depart-
21 ment of Correction's request of \$37.6 million from the Permanent Building
22 Fund for improvements to the medical annex at the Idaho State Correctional
23 Institution.