

# IDAHO CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMISSION LEGISLATIVE UPDATE 2019

## VISION

- Collaborating For a Safer Idaho

## MISSION

- The Idaho Criminal Justice Commission is committed to collaboration to address important criminal justice issues and challenges by developing and proposing **balanced solutions**, which are **cost effective** and based on “best” practices to **achieve a safer Idaho**.

## VALUES

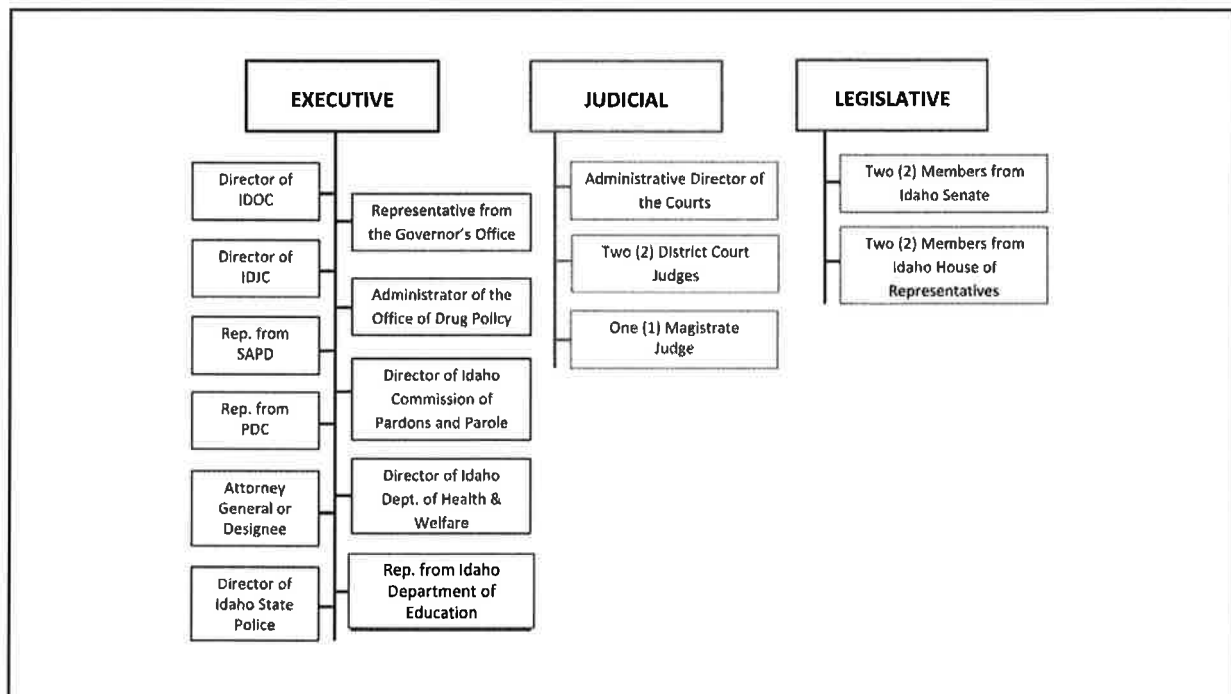
- We are **committed** to learning and enhancing our understanding.
- We **communicate** honestly.
- We **encourage** open dialogue and feedback.
- We are **flexible** and innovative.
- We **keep** our commitments.
- We **respect** all contributions.
- We are **sensitive** to the unique perception and needs of others.

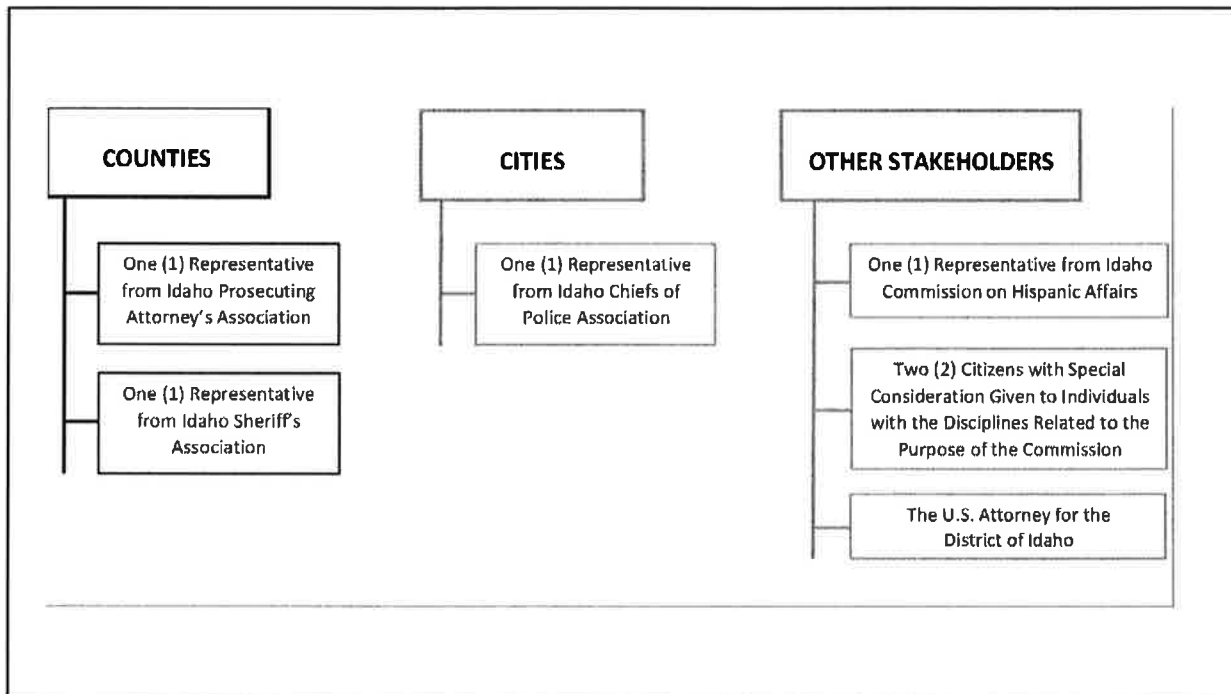
# Executive Order 2018-03

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER  
GOVERNOR



*WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the citizens of the State of Idaho that government promote efficiency and effectiveness of the criminal justice system and, where possible, encourage dialogue among the respective branches of government to achieve this effectiveness and efficiency...*





*WHEREAS, communication and cooperation among the various facets of the community of criminal justice professionals is of utmost importance in promoting efficiency and effectiveness...*

# IDAHO CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMISSION STRATEGIC PLAN FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO

## COMBATING CRIME AND PROTECTING CITIZENS

**GOAL - Reduce victimization and recidivism in the state of Idaho**

**Objective 1: Identify and establish subcommittees relating to accountability, prevention, education, and recidivism reduction.**

**Objective 2: Strengthen knowledge base in Idaho by enhancing data collection abilities and sharing capabilities**

## PROVIDING POLICY MAKERS AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE DECISION MAKERS WITH ACCURATE INFORMATION

**GOAL** - Advance delivery of justice through effective interventions by proposing balanced solutions, which are cost effective and based on best practices

Objective 1 - Determine reasonable expectation of community needs and services based on resources

Objective 2 - Promote standards and equity

Objective 3 - Reduce criminogenic risk factors through the expanded use of risk assessments, policies and programming

Objective 4 - Ongoing assessment of problem solving courts and other community-based sentencing alternatives

Objective 5 - Examine emerging issues

## PROMOTING EFFICIENCY AND EFFECTIVENESS OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM

**GOAL** - Promote well-informed policy decisions

Objective 1 - Identify strategies to promote efficiencies and effectiveness in the criminal justice system

Objective 2 - Continue presentations and training on trends, best practices and priority issues

Objective 3 - Create and implement data sharing mechanisms and agreements among stakeholder agencies

Objective 4 - Maintain awareness of substance abuse trends and priority issues

Objective 5 – Identify sustainable funding for priorities in ICJC’s strategic plan

## SUBCOMMITTEE WORK

MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE

RESEARCH ALLIANCE

HUMAN TRAFFICKING

GRANT REVIEW COUNCIL

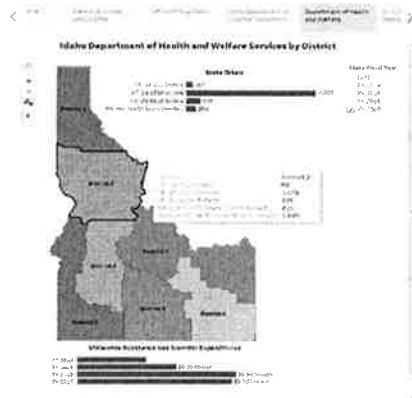
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## MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SUBCOMMITTEE

- Focused on the ongoing Opioid Epidemic
- Follow-up Mental Health Summit

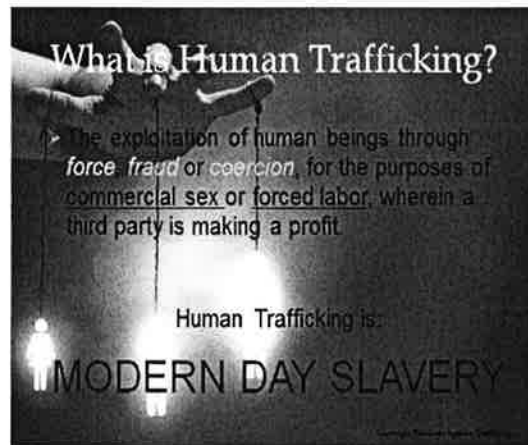
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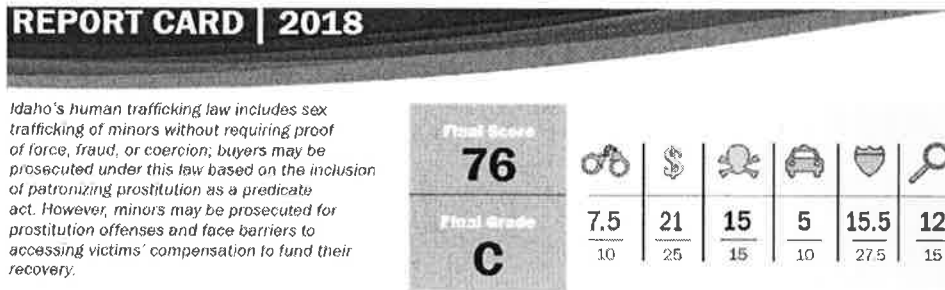
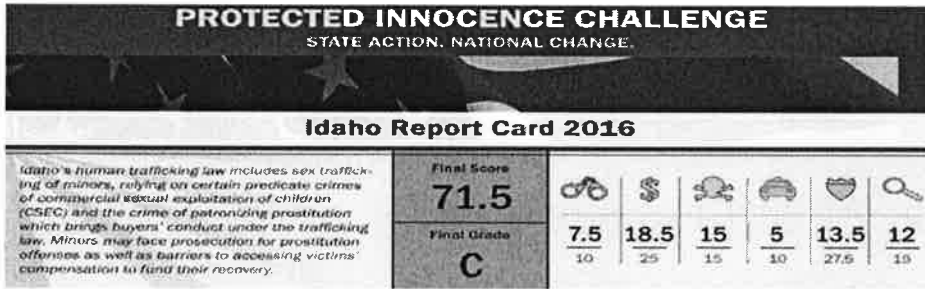


- Criminal Justice Research Alliance Subcommittee
  - ID Department of Juvenile Corrections
  - ID Department of Corrections
  - Commission on Pardons & Parole
  - Office of Drug Policy
  - Department of Health & Welfare
  - ID Supreme Court
  - ID State Police/Stat. Analysis Center
- Provide current and accurate statewide data relevant to criminal justice policies and decision-making
- Updated annually
  - Currently, rolling out data as available
- Live date: February 1, 2018
- Link: <https://icjc.idaho.gov/>

## HUMAN TRAFFICKING

- Committee's Focus
  - Gaps in Enforcement
  - Detection
  - Support Systems for Victims





## HOW IDAHO SCORED

- **Criminalization of Minor Sex Trafficking – 7.5/10**
  - Only violated if offender engages in human trafficking while committing another specified crime.
- **Criminal Provisions Addressing Demand – 21/25**
  - Idaho silent on mistake of age?
  - No asset forfeiture for buyers.
- **Criminal Provisions for Traffickers – 15/15**
- **Criminal Provisions for Facilitators – 5/10**
  - No crime for benefiting from or assisting and aiding human trafficking.
  - May face prosecution under other laws.
- **Protective Provisions for Child Victims – 15.5/27.5**
  - Idaho's Rape Shield law only applies criminal cases of rape?
  - Idaho's expungement inadequate?
  - No immunity for minor victims from prosecution.
  - No defense for adult victims from prosecution.
- **C.J. Tools To Investigate and Prosecute – 12/15**
  - Encourages but does not require law enforcement training.



## CRIMINAL LAW REVIEW

- Statutes were reviewed, proposed changes include:
  - Human Trafficking – Amended I.C. 18-8601-8603
  - Human Trafficking – Safe Harbor I.C. 18-8606
  - Blue Alert Legislation

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