

**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 10,
TO 1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 465**

September 23, 1999 – Offered by Representatives COGGS, RICHARDS, COLON, YOUNG,
MORRIS-TATUM and MILLER.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 193, line 22: after that line insert:

3 “(2t) LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY ON RACIAL DISPARITY OF THE PRISON POPULATION.

4 The joint legislative council is requested to study why there is a disparity in the
5 proportion of prison inmates who are members of racial minorities compared to the
6 proportion of racial minorities in the state’s population as a whole and what can be
7 done to ameliorate or eliminate the causes of the disparity. If the council undertakes
8 such a study, it shall report its findings, conclusions and recommendations, together
9 with any proposed legislation, to the legislature in the manner provided under
10 section 13.172 (2) of the statutes by May 1, 2001.”.

11 (END)