
DIGEST

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HB 628 Original

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Bryant

Abstract: Provides that persons convicted of both a crime of violence and a sex offense when the offense was committed on or after Jan. 1, 1997, shall not be eligible for parole.

Present law provides that persons committed to the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections for a term or terms of imprisonment with or without the benefit of parole for 30 years or more shall be eligible for parole consideration upon serving at least 20 years of the term or terms of imprisonment in actual custody and upon reaching the age of 45. Further provides that present law does not apply to a person serving a life sentence unless such sentence has been commuted to a fixed term of years and does not apply to any person who has been convicted of a crime of violence or a sex offense when the offense was committed on or after Aug. 1, 2014.

Proposed law provides that present law does not apply to any person who has been convicted of an offense that is both a crime of violence and a sex offense when the offense was committed on or after Jan. 1, 1997.

Provides that proposed law shall have prospective and retroactive application.

(Amends R.S. 15:574.4(A)(2))