

SENATE BILL NO. 273

BY SENATORS FOIL AND BARROW AND REPRESENTATIVE MARINO

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AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:574.4(K), relative to parole; to provide eligibility for parole consideration for offenders serving a life sentence for offenses committed on or before July 2, 1973, to which the offender pled guilty; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 15:574.4(K) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§574.4. Parole; eligibility; juvenile offenders

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K. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, an offender serving a life sentence for an offense committed on or before July 2, 1973, and for which the offender pleaded guilty, shall immediately be eligible for parole consideration.

Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____