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Requests the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections, the La. Dept. of Health, physicians at private and state medical facilities who treat incarcerated patients, other community members, and stakeholders to study the current eligibility, recommendation, and approval processes for the medical parole program and the medical treatment furlough program as well as for compassionate release as provided by the policy of the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

- The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Administration of Criminal</u> Justice to the <u>original</u> bill:
- 1. Add the chairman of the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice or his designee and the chairman of the House Committee on Health and Welfare or his designee to the commission.
- 2. Provide that the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections shall staff the commission.