
DIGEST

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HR 51 Reengrossed

2021 Regular Session

Duplessis

Requests that a commission be convened to study the efficacy of the current eligibility requirements and recommendation and review processes for compassionate release, medical parole, and medical treatment furlough. Provides for membership of the commission.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to the original resolution:

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.

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to the engrossed resolution:

1. Provide appointing authorities for members of the commission.
2. Add provisions regarding the first meeting of the commission.
3. Provide for staffing of the commission by the La. Dept. of Health rather than the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections.