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HB No. 217

Abstract: Amends provisions relative to technical violations of probation to include failing to report to the probation officer for more than 120 consecutive days.

Present law provides that any defendant who has been placed on probation by the court for the conviction of an offense other than a crime of violence or a sex offense, and who has had his probation revoked for his first technical violation of his probation as determined by the court, shall be required to serve a sentence of not more than 90 days without diminution of sentence or credit for time served prior to the revocation for a technical violation.

Present law defines "technical violation".

Proposed law retains present law and adds to the definition of "technical violation" the failure to report to the probation officer for 120 consecutive days.

(Adds C.Cr.P. Art. 900(A)(6)(c)(vi))