

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 57th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 28
Version:	ENGR
Request Number:	
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Impact:	Pardon & Parole: possible savings

Research Analysis

SB 28 modifies eligibility for parole. For crimes committed before July 1, 1998, the measure allows offenders, excepting those convicted to life without parole, who completed 1/3 of their sentence to be eligible for parole. Current law establishes different eligibility metrics depending on the crime. The measure also removes these metrics for crimes committed after July 1, 1998 and before November 1, 2018. Persons convicted of a crime in this timeframe will be eligible for parole after they served 1/3 of their sentence.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 28, upon review by fiscal staff and with consultation from the Pardon and Parole Board, is determined to have some savings for the agency from the reduction of litigation-associated costs.

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Other Considerations

None.