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Introducer(s):

Judiciary Committee

Title: AN ACT CONCERNING VISITATION POLICIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION AND THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS HELD IN TRUST BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO PERSONS WHO WERE FORMERLY INCARCERATED.

Statement of Purpose: To prescribe (1) minimal in-person visitation thresholds for persons who are incarcerated, and (2) the process for the transfer of funds held in trust by the Department of Correction to persons who were formerly incarcerated.

Bill History:

03-10-2026 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee

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04-13-2026 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE

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04-27-2026 NO NEW FILE BY COMMITTEE ON Appropriations Committee

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Co-sponsor(s):

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