

PROPOSED

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AMENDMENTS TO H.B. 2547

(Reference to printed bill)

1 Page 1, between lines 1 and 2, insert:

2 "Section 1. Title 41, chapter 11, article 1, Arizona Revised  
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 41-1610.02, to read:

4 41-1610.02. Auditor general review; annual report

5 A. THE AUDITOR GENERAL SHALL ANNUALLY REVIEW THE DEPARTMENT'S  
6 COMPLIANCE WITH ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

7 1. THE INMATE TRANSITION PROGRAM ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION  
8 31-281.

9 2. THE RELEASE AND REPORTING PROVISIONS PRESCRIBED IN SECTION  
10 31-285.

11 3. ITS PURPOSES PRESCRIBED IN SECTION 41-1602, INCLUDING THE  
12 REQUIREMENT TO PROVIDE REHABILITATION, AND THE NUMBER OF INMATES WHO ENROLL  
13 AND PARTICIPATE IN THE DEPARTMENT'S REHABILITATIVE SELF-IMPROVEMENT AND  
14 TREATMENT PROGRAMS BY INSTITUTION AND PROGRAM.

15 4. THE EARNED RELEASE CREDIT PROGRAM PURSUANT TO SECTIONS  
16 41-1604.06, 41-1604.07 AND 41-1604.10.

17 5. THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS PURSUANT TO SECTION 41-1604.14.

18 6. THE DEPARTMENT'S OWN POLICIES REGARDING INDUSTRY RECOMMENDED  
19 REPORTING GUIDELINES.

20 B. ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2023 AND EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, THE  
21 AUDITOR GENERAL SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR, PRESIDENT OF THE  
22 SENATE, SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND JOINT LEGISLATIVE AUDIT  
23 COMMITTEE AND SHALL PROVIDE A COPY OF THIS REPORT TO THE SECRETARY OF  
24 STATE. THE REPORT SHALL CONTAIN THE AUDITOR GENERAL'S FINDINGS RELATING TO  
25 THE REVIEW UNDER SUBSECTION A OF THIS SECTION."

26 Renumber to conform

1 Page 1, between lines 10 and 11, insert:

2 "Sec. 4. Legislative assessment; state department of  
3 corrections; audit; delayed repeal

4 A. The legislature may annually assess whether the state department  
5 of corrections is meeting the requirements prescribed in sections 31-281,  
6 31-285 and 41-1602, Arizona Revised Statutes. The legislature may request  
7 that the auditor general conduct an additional audit of the state  
8 department of corrections and may amend the termination date of the  
9 department of corrections.

10 B. This section is repealed from and after June 30, 2030."

11 Renumber to conform

12 Line 19, strike "1" insert "2"; strike "2" insert "3"

13 Amend title to conform

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