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Act No. 91 (H.150). Corrections; parole

An act relating to parole eligibility

This act amends the eligibility standard for an inmate's release on parole or furlough for a medical condition from a "debilitating" medical condition to a "serious" medical condition. This act also requires that in order for an inmate to be eligible for release on parole for a serious medical condition, an inmate must authorize release of his or her personal health information. In addition, the act defines a serious medical condition as a condition that is not caused by noncompliance with a medical treatment plan.

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