HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2026 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 439 by Representative Zeringue

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "R.S. 15:574.22," and insert "R.S. 15:574.4(B)(2) and 574.22,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, delete "R.S. 15:574.22 is" and insert "R.S. 15:574.4(B)(2) and 574.22 are"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:

"§574.4. Parole; eligibility; juvenile offenders

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(2) ~~Except as provided in R.S. 15:574.22, any~~ Any person serving a life sentence, with or without the benefit of parole, who has not been convicted of a crime of violence as defined by R.S. 14:2(B), a sex offense as defined by R.S. 15:541, or an offense, regardless of the date of conviction, which would constitute a crime of violence as defined by R.S. 14:2(B) or a sex offense as defined by R.S. 15:541, shall be eligible for parole consideration as follows:

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CODING: Words in ~~struck through~~ type are deletions from existing law; words underscored are additions.