The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Alden A. Clement, Jr.

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<u>Present law</u> provides that when the imposition of sentence has been deferred by the court and the court finds at the conclusion of the deferral that the defendant has not been convicted of any other offense during the period of the deferred sentence, and that no criminal charge is pending against him, the court may set the conviction aside and dismiss the prosecution.

Proposed law prohibits the application of present law to a conviction for domestic abuse battery.

Proposed law otherwise retains present law.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends C.Cr.P. Art. 894(B)(1))

SB 27 Engrossed

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to the original bill

- 1. Prohibits the application of <u>present law</u> relative to setting aside of a conviction under certain circumstances to a conviction for domestic abuse battery.
- 2. Deletes provisions of <u>proposed law</u> that would prohibit sentence on conviction of domestic abuse battery from being suspended.