Bill Summary

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Bill Analysis

HB 2897 authorizes the Department of Corrections to establish outdoor designated smoking areas for inmates after November 1, 2020. Smoking is authorizing in the designated areas. Correctional facilities are authorized by the measure to sell tobacco products in their respective canteen systems using an authorized vendor. Profits generated from the sale of tobacco products at a correctional facility canteen shall be subject to the guidelines established by the Canteen System Board of Directors