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Bill Analysis

SB 1295 modifies documentation required to be sent to the Department of Corrections prior to transferring an inmate to the Department's custody. The measure removes the requirement to certify that an inmate is sentenced to the Department's custody as well as the requirement to submit a notice of judgment and sentence signed by the sentencing judge or court clerk using the form created in statute. The measure also removes the requirement for the Department to assume custody of an inmate prior to receiving the certified copy of the judgment and sentence.

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