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Bill Analysis

SB 766 reduces the time served before a person convicted of aggravated manufacturing or trafficking of a controlled dangerous substance is eligible for parole and removes the penalty from the list of 85% sentences. The time served is reduced from 85% of the sentence to 60% of the sentence. Additionally, the measure allows a person convicted of aggravated manufacturing or trafficking of a controlled dangerous substance to apply earned credits for early release after serving 60% of the sentence.

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Fiscal Analysis

FY20: Possible decrease in DOC inmate population

Full year: Possible decrease in DOC inmate population

FY18 costs of incarceration in a state facility for minimum security is \$46.45/day, medium security is \$46.73/day, maximum security is \$98.19/day.

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