BILL SUMMARY

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Research Analysis

The CS to HB 2477 authorizes offenders on administrative parole to receive earned credits. The offender is to earn 30 calendar days of credit for each month of compliance with the terms and conditions of probation. The measure allows persons on parole to receive 90 days of credit for hearing a high school diploma or GED; 120 days of credit for any college-level degree; and 60 days of credit for a vocational, technical, or career training certification or degree. Persons convicted of an offense which requires serving 85% of sentence or a domestic violence offense are excluded from obtaining credit.

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Fiscal Analysis

This measure would allow certain offenders in the custody of the Department of Corrections (DOC) to earn education credits. In consultation with officials from the Department of Corrections, HB2477 in its current form is not anticipated to have an impact on state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.

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