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PROHIBIT PAROLE; CRIMES INVOLVING EXPLOSIVES

House Bill 5639
Sponsor: Rep. Mark Schauer
Committee: Corrections

Complete to 3-11-98

A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5639 AS INTRODUCED 3-10-98

The Department of Corrections act prohibits parole for persons imprisoned for life for murder in the first degree, or life or a minimum term for a major controlled substance offense. The bill would, in addition, prohibit parole for those convicted of any of the following crimes: sending explosives with intent to injure people; placing explosives with the intent to destroy or cause injury to people; placing foul and offensive substances with intent to injure, molest or coerce; possession of bombs with intent to use unlawfully; and possession with intent to use unlawfully a device designed to explode upon impact, upon application of heat, or a highly incendiary device.

House Bill 5639 is tie-barred to Senate Bill 97 and House Bill 4289, both of which would revise and increase penalties for bomb crimes.

MCL 791.234 and 791.236

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