
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1102 Session of
2015

INTRODUCED BY BARBIN, D. COSTA, THOMAS, GODSHALL, DEAN, COHEN
AND V. BROWN, MAY 4, 2015

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, MAY 4, 2015

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 61 (Prisons and Parole) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, in Pennsylvania Board of Probation and
3 Parole, further providing for parole power.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Section 6137(a) is amended by adding a paragraph
7 and (c)(3) of Title 61 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes
8 is amended by adding a subparagraph to read:

9 § 6137. Parole power.

10 (a) General criteria for parole.--

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12 (6) Any inmate granted parole shall serve out any
13 remaining time on the prison or jail sentence in an approved
14 group-based housing facility or at the inmate's home with
15 electronic monitoring.

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17 (c) Administrative parole.--

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1 (3) An eligible offender placed on administrative parole
2 shall do all of the following:

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4 (v) Serve out the remainder of the imposed prison or
5 jail sentence either at an approved group-based housing
6 facility in the offender's county or serve out the
7 remainder of the imposed prison or jail sentence at the
8 offender's home with electronic monitoring.

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10 Section 2. The amendment of 61 Pa.C.S. § 6137(a) and (c)(3)
11 shall apply to any inmate who applies for parole or is granted
12 parole on or after the effective date of this act.

13 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.