Hall of the House of Representatives

84th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2003 Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 2405

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2405.

Amend House Bill No. 2405 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 11 and substitute: "AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A PILOT PROGRAM IN THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO ALLOW THE PAROLE OF CERTAIN INMATES UNDER CONDITIONS SET BY THE POST PRISON TRANSFER BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 14 through 16 and substitute: "TO AUTHORIZE A PILOT PROGRAM IN THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO ALLOW THE PAROLE OF CERTAIN INMATES UNDER CONDITIONS SET BY THE POST PRISON TRANSFER BOARD."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. <u>Subject to conditions set by the Post Prison Transfer</u> <u>Board, all offenders convicted of a felony, and sentenced to a term of</u> <u>imprisonment of two (2) years or less in the Department of Correction, and</u> <u>who have served their term of imprisonment in a county jail prior to being</u> <u>processed into the Department of Correction, may be paroled from the</u> <u>Department of Correction county jail backup facility directly to the</u> <u>Department of Correction under parole supervision, and upon</u> <u>eligibility determination, processed for release by the Post Prison Transfer</u> <u>Board.</u>

SECTION 2. (a) Offenders who have plead guilty or nolo contendere to, or have been found guilty of a violent offense as defined by Arkansas Code § 12-12-1103(11), or a Class Y felony offense shall be ineligible to participate in the program established by this act.

(b) Offenders who have committed violent or sexual acts while incarcerated in a county jail facility, as determined by the county sheriff,



shall be ineligible to participate in the program established by this act."

The Amendment was read _____ By: Representative Lewellen PBB/RCK - 032620030821 RCK808

Chief Clerk