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To: Senate Bill No. 952

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(As Amended)

"AN ACT CONCERNING PAROLE ELIGIBILITY FOR AN INDIVIDUAL SERVING A LENGTHY SENTENCE FOR A CRIME COMMITTED BEFORE THE INDIVIDUAL REACHED THE AGE OF TWENTY-FIVE."

1 Strike subdivision (1) of subsection (f) of section 54-125a in its entirety
2 and insert the following in lieu thereof:

3 "(f) (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) to (e),
4 inclusive, of this section, a person convicted of one or more crimes,
5 except for a violation of section 53a-70c, committed while such person
6 was under [eighteen] twenty-one years of age, who is incarcerated on or
7 after October 1, 2015, and who received a definite sentence or total
8 effective sentence of more than ten years for such crime or crimes prior
9 to, on or after October 1, 2015, may be allowed to go at large on parole
10 in the discretion of the panel of the Board of Pardons and Paroles for the

11 institution in which such person is confined, provided (A) if such person
12 is serving a sentence of fifty years or less, such person shall be eligible
13 for parole after serving sixty per cent of the sentence or twelve years,
14 whichever is greater, or (B) if such person is serving a sentence of more
15 than fifty years, such person shall be eligible for parole after serving
16 thirty years. Nothing in this subsection shall limit a person's eligibility
17 for parole release under the provisions of subsections (a) to (e),
18 inclusive, of this section if such person would be eligible for parole
19 release at an earlier date under any of such provisions."