

1 IN THE SENATE

BY LEWIS

2 SENATE BILL NO. 360

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to release on parole; and providing
7 for an effective date."

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

9 * Section 1. AS 33.15.080 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 33.15.080. GRANTING OF PAROLE. If it appears to the board
11 from a review that a prisoner eligible for parole will, in reasonable
12 probability, live and remain at liberty without violating the laws, or
13 without violating the conditions imposed by the board, and if the
14 board determines that his release on parole is not incompatible with
15 the welfare of society, the board may authorize the release of the
16 prisoner on parole. However, no prisoner may be released on parole
17 who has not served at least one-third of the sentence imposed.

18 * Sec. 2. AS 33.15.180 is amended to read:

19 Sec. 33.15.180. PERSONS ELIGIBLE FOR PAROLE. A state prisoner,
20 other than a juvenile delinquent, wherever confined and serving a
21 definite term of over 180 days or a term the minimum of which is at
22 least 181 days, whose record shows that he has observed the rules
23 of the institution in which he is confined, may, in the discretion of
24 the board, be released on parole, subject to the limitation prescribed
25 in secs. 80 and 230(1) of this chapter.

26 * Sec. 3. AS 33.15.230(1) is amended to read:

27 (1) designate in the sentence of imprisonment imposed a
28 minimum term at the expiration of which the prisoner is eligible for
29 parole, which term shall be at least [MAY BE LESS THAN, BUT SHALL NOT

1 BE MORE THAN] one-third of the maximum sentence imposed by the court;
2 or

3 * Sec. 4. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and
4 approval or on the day it becomes law without approval.
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