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Mr. Speaker:

The Judiciary Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.B. 153**, COUNTY JAIL WORK RELEASE PROCESS AMENDMENTS, by Representative S. Wyatt, with the following amendments:

1. Page, Lines 33 through 48:

33 (1) When an inmate is committed for incarceration in a county jail or in a detention
34 facility, the custodial authority may [~~in its discretion~~], in accordance with the release
35 policy of
36 the facility, allow the inmate to work outside of the jail or facility as part of a jail or facility
37 supervised work detail, to seek or work at employment, or to attend an educational
38 institution, if the
39 inmate's incarceration:
40 (a) is not for an offense for which release is prohibited under state law; and
41 [~~(1)~~] (b) (i) is for a misdemeanor offense, and the sentencing judge has not entered an
42 order [~~to the contrary~~] prohibiting release under this section; or
43 [~~(2)~~] (ii) is part of a probation agreement for a felony offense, and the sentencing
44 district judge has not entered an order [~~to the contrary~~] prohibiting release under this
45 section or {~~or~~
46 — [~~(3)~~] (iii) is in a county facility pursuant to a contract with the Department of
47 Corrections;
48 — (2) (a) An inmate may petition the court for review of a denial by the custodial
49 authority of the inmate's release request in accordance with the facility's release
50 policy;
51 — (b) Review under Subsection (2)(a) may only be sought after exhausting the
52 review
53 process provided by the facility's release policy. }



Respectfully,

James A. Ferrin
Committee Chair

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