



General Assembly

Amendment

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LCO No. 8914



Offered by:
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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. **1541**

File No. 800

Cal. No. 419

"AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFICE OF THE CORRECTION OMBUDS, DISCLOSURE OF DISCIPLINARY MATTERS OR ALLEGED MISCONDUCT BY A DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION EMPLOYEE AND USE OF FORCE AND BODY CAMERAS IN CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."

1 Strike lines 4 to 8, inclusive, in their entirety and insert the following
2 in lieu thereof:

3 "(m) The person appointed as Correction Ombuds shall serve for [an
4 initial] a term of two years, [and] except that on and after January 6,
5 2027, a person appointed as Correction Ombuds shall serve for a term
6 of four years to run concurrent with the term of the Governor. Such
7 person may serve until a successor is appointed and confirmed in
8 accordance with this section [. Such person] and may be reappointed for
9 succeeding terms."

10 In line 371, strike "before,"

11 In line 384, strike "before,"

12 Strike section 7 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:

13 "Sec. 7. (NEW) (*Effective January 1, 2026*) The Office of the Correction
14 Ombuds, established pursuant to section 18-81qq of the general statutes,
15 as amended by this act, in consultation with the office of the Attorney
16 General, shall publish on said offices' Internet web sites a list of the case
17 captions and the names of the parties for each case filed on or after
18 January 1, 2026, against the Department of Correction relating to
19 excessive use of force or medical neglect that is defended by the
20 Attorney General."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 7	January 1, 2026	New section