

**REVENUE:** No revenue impact

**FISCAL:** Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued

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**Action:** Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed  
**Vote:** 5 - 0 - 0  
**Yeas:** Bonamici, Dingfelder, Kruse, Whitsett, Prozanski  
**Nays:** 0  
**Exc.:** 0  
**Prepared By:** Cheyenne Ross, Counsel  
**Meeting Dates:** 4/14, 4/18, 4/19

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Clarifies court authority to stay sentencing orders, in whole or part, pending outcome on appeal. Requires courts to consider certain factors upon request for stay. Requires court to order certain conditions of release if stay is granted.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Courts already have authority, but do not exercise it
- Measure intended to provide clarity, uniformity
- Work group history and participants

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** Replaces the measure.

**BACKGROUND:** Courts have wide latitude whether to grant a request for a stay of execution pending resolution on appeal. Senate Bill 496 A provides detailed guidance with regard to factors a court should consider and, if a stay is granted, uniform conditions of release.