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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 212, L.D. 274, Bill, "An Act to Revise the Correctional Facility Board of Visitors Laws"

Amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "§3002." by striking out all of subsection 5 (page 2, lines 24 to 26 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'5. Staffing. The board shall request required staffing from the commissioner. The commissioner shall provide staffing if personnel are available for that purpose.'

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the statement of fact the following:

FISCAL NOTE

The Department of Corrections will incur some minor additional costs to compensate 2 additional members of the Board of Visitors at each correctional facility. These costs can be absorbed within the department's existing budgeted resources.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment clarifies the fact that the Commissioner of Corrections need not provide staffing to the Boards of Visitors for the various correctional facilities if personnel are not available in the department for that purpose.

Reported by the Joint Select Committee on Corrections  
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