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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Judiciary (Brandes) recommended the following: Senate Amendment Delete lines 42 - 65 and insert: <u>resentence the offender in the same manner as if the</u> <u>offender had not previously been sentenced, except that it may</u> <u>not impose a new sentence greater than the initial sentence.</u> <u>(4) The court may consider postconviction factors</u> <u>including, but not limited to, the offender's inmate</u> <u>disciplinary record and record of rehabilitation while</u>

11 incarcerated; evidence that reflects whether age, time served,

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12	and diminished physical condition, if any, have reduced the
13	offender's risk of recidivism; and evidence that reflects
14	changed circumstances since the offender's original sentencing
15	such that the offender's continued incarceration no longer
16	serves the interests of justice. Credit must be given for time
17	served.
18	(5) The state attorney shall make reasonable efforts to
19	notify victims and survivors of victims of the petition for
20	resentencing and the date of the resentencing hearing. The state
21	attorney shall provide victims and survivors of victims access
22	to available victim advocates and other related services. The
23	court shall provide an opportunity for victims and survivors of
24	victims of any crimes for which the offender has been convicted
25	to present a statement personally or by representation.
26	(6) A resentencing under this section does not reopen the
27	offender's conviction to challenges that would otherwise be
28	barred.
29	Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2021, and
30	shall apply to all offenders regardless of the date of the
31	offense.

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