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S.B. No. 883

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to awarding credit to an inmate for certain time between
3 release on and revocation of parole, mandatory supervision, or
4 conditional pardon.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

6 SECTION 1. Section 508.283(c), Government Code, is amended
7 to read as follows:

8 (c) If the parole, mandatory supervision, or conditional
9 pardon of a person [~~other than a person described by Section~~
10 ~~508.149(a)~~] is revoked, the person may be required to serve the
11 remaining portion of the sentence on which the person was released.

12 The [~~For a person who on the date of issuance of a warrant or summons~~
13 ~~initiating the revocation process is subject to a sentence the~~
14 ~~remaining portion of which is greater than the amount of time from~~
15 ~~the date of the person's release to the date of issuance of the~~
16 ~~warrant or summons, the~~] remaining portion of the sentence is to be

17 served with [~~without~~] credit for the time from the date of the
18 person's release to the date of the violation that resulted in the

19 revocation. [~~For a person who on the date of issuance of the~~
20 ~~warrant or summons is subject to a sentence the remaining portion of~~
21 ~~which is less than the amount of time from the date of the person's~~
22 ~~release to the date of issuance of the warrant or summons, the~~
23 ~~remaining portion is to be served without credit for an amount of~~
24 ~~time equal to the remaining portion of the sentence on the date of~~

1 ~~issuance of the warrant or citation.]~~

2 SECTION 2. Section 508.283(b), Government Code, is
3 repealed.

4 SECTION 3. The change in law made by this Act applies only
5 to the calculation of the remaining sentence for an inmate whose
6 release on parole, mandatory supervision, or conditional pardon is
7 revoked on or after the effective date of this Act. The calculation
8 of the remaining sentence for an inmate whose release on parole,
9 mandatory supervision, or conditional pardon is revoked before the
10 effective date of this Act is governed by the law in effect
11 immediately before the effective date of this Act, and the former
12 law is continued in effect for that purpose.

13 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.