

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate House Comm: RCS 4/17/2008

The Committee on Governmental Operations (Posey) recommended the following amendment:

Senate Amendment

Delete line(s) 247-260

and insert:

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b. Special Risk Class members who are employed as law enforcement officers, correctional officers, or community-based correctional probation officers, as described in s. 121.0515(2), who have a rank or the equivalent rank of captain or below, and who are currently participating in DROP for up to 60 months may participate for an additional 36 calendar months. However, in order to participate the member must, before beginning the additional 36 months, receive authorization from the member's employer to participate in DROP beyond 60 months, and pass the same physical examination required for new officers under s. 943.13(6) and provide an accompanying statement from the

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officer's examining physician, physician assistant, or certified advanced registered nurse practitioner that the officer is capable of performing the essential functions of his or her duties as a law enforcement officer, correctional officer, or probation officer.