

Commission Accomplishments 2008/2009/2010



From the Commission's 2010 Annual Report

Presentation to the Commission on October 8, 2010

Summary of Recommendations

- **December 2008 – 66 recommendations regarding removal of barriers to successful community re-entry from jail and prison**
- **2009 – 45 recommendations to 2010 General Assembly for statutory reform**
 - Drugs
 - DUI/DWAI
 - Parole guidelines
- **Today: 2 years later:**
 - **Review 2008 with significant impact**
 - **Status on all 66**
 - **Detail in handout**

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2008 L-1 Drivers License Retention--Decrease

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Crime removed with HB 09-1266	FY 2009	FY 2010
Defacing property	299	44 and declining
Felony/Misd drug	6110	246 and declining
1 st time minor in possession of alcohol	4336	765, likely to increase with more court-ordered eval/treatment and corresponding increasing in noncompliance
Forged penalty assessment	0	0
Criminal mischief	1	0
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2008 L-2 L-3 L-4 (JAIL)

Regarding jail good time credits

- Arapahoe County
 - 12 month period ending May 2010
 - 7,220 bed days saved (\$68/bed/day)
 - **\$490,960**
- Denver County
 - 2008 estimates 29,200 bed days saved (\$55/bed/day)
 - **\$1,600,600**

2008 L-12 EARLY TERMINATIONS OF PAROLE (DOC)

The Commission requests that the Department of Corrections develop and implement a standardized policy regarding early terminations of parole and require parole officers to submit such requests to the parole board when a parolee has served at least half of the parole period and has met other risk reduction benchmarks. In addition, the Department of Corrections should provide data on the numbers and decisions of early termination requests to the Division of Criminal Justice. The Commission further requires that such request comply with the Victim's Rights Act.*

- DOC Administrative Regulation 250-29
- From September 9, 2009, **1,573 recommendations** for early discharge were submitted to the Parole Board.
- To date, the Board has **discharged 1,377 offenders**.

2008

GP-20 INCREASE IN MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT
GP-21 INCREASE FUNDING FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT

- Additional **\$8M** for behavioral health treatment in FY 2010 Legislative Session

2008 GP-13 BP-35 B-36 (Probation)

-- Enhance consistent use of incentives and intermediate sanctions to respond to TVs
-- Implement positive reinforcement and incentives
-- TV sanctions guidelines
-- TV program within

- Implementation underway
- Working with multiple consultants
- Evaluations/pilot sites
- Training

2008 Expand Training

BP-34 (probation, judges)
BP-58 (parole)

- \$2.1M grant on behalf of the Commission
- Evidence Based Practices: Implementation for Capacity--EPIC
- **About (36 weeks) 1450 person-hours of training so far!**
- **240 professionals trained including 40 judges**

2008 CS-66 (DOC)

Grant 30/60 days behavior-based earned time credit for new intakes and current population (excluding TVs) serving time for non-violent crimes

- DOC estimates 146 beds saved in FY 2010 increasing each year to 342.5 beds in FY 2014
- **\$2.8M in FY 2010 increasing to \$6.6M in 2014**

Summary of Accomplishments

- **9,000 fewer people had drivers license suspended in FY 2010 (5,000/yr in future)**
- **\$2M in savings for 2 jails (\$5-10M statewide?)**
- **1,300+ parolees discharged early**
- **\$3-6M/year averted in beh-based good time**
- **100s professionals trained in EBP**
- **TV reform in probation and parole**
- **\$8M in new treatment funding**

2008 CCJJ Performance Measures Status Summary

6 Implementation Complete/Impact Measured
6 Implementation Complete/Impact Not Measured
21 Implementation Underway
10 Partial Implementation
2 Implementation Unknown
21 No Implementation

See handout for details