SB24-030 Recidivism Definition Working Group

August 15, 2024 | 1:00pm-3:00pm

Location: 700 Kipling, 3rd Floor DCJ Conference Room

Zoom: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85173724308?pwd=QxhMVaiVbGaR7sThRW62I5AkU9ClKe.1

MEETING AGENDA

- 1:00-1:05 Welcome
- 1:05-1:10 Introductions (if needed)
- 1:10-2:00 Agency discussion of execution of the new definition
- 2:00-2:50 Discussion of Ideal Future State of Recidivism Reporting
- 2:45-2:55 Public Comment
- 2:55-3:00 Wrap-up, Next Steps, and Adjourn

MANDATES

Pursuant to 24-33.5-536, C.R.S. (Senate Bill 2024-030) the working group shall:

- Be appointed no later than September 15, 2024.
- Develop a definition of recidivism no later than January 15, 2025.
- Provide a definition of recidivism to each state entity identified by DCJ and the working group pursuant to 24-33.5-536(1)(b) CRS no later than January 31, 2025.
- Conclude its meetings by January 31, 2025

The working group is required to develop a recidivism definition consistent with statute that includes:

- A clearly defined measurement point to begin tracking the recidivism event defined in 24-33.5-536(2)(4)(c).
- A clear description of the cohort to be tracked.
- A clearly defined time period during which an event is considered a recidivism event that is consistent with best practices for measuring recidivism.
- The recidivism event is a new deferred agreement or adjudication or conviction for a felony or misdemeanor offense, including "Victim Rights Act" crimes.
- In order to promote the use of consistent definitions by various state entities, the working group may develop definitions or data points related to recidivism or the desistance from crime that state entities may use as applicable.