LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1004

Introduced by Lathrop, 12. Read first time January 15, 2020 Committee: Judiciary

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Treatment and Corrections Act; 2 to amend section 83-1,110, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to 3 change provisions relating to eligibility for parole; and to repeal 4 the original section. 5
- Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. Section 83-1,110, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska,
is amended to read:

3 83-1,110 (1) Every committed offender shall be eligible for parole when the offender has served one-half the minimum term of his or her 4 5 sentence as provided in sections 83-1,107 and 83-1,108 or two years prior to the offender's mandatory discharge date, whichever is earlier. The 6 7 board shall conduct a parole review not later than sixty days prior to the date a committed offender becomes eligible for parole as provided in 8 9 this subsection, except that if a committed offender is eligible for parole upon his or her commitment to the department, a parole review 10 shall occur as early as is practical. No such reduction of sentence shall 11 be applied to any sentence imposing a mandatory minimum term. 12

13 (2) Every committed offender sentenced to consecutive terms, whether received at the same time or at any time during the original sentence, 14 shall be eligible for release on parole when the offender has served the 15 16 total of one-half the minimum term as provided in sections 83-1,107 and 17 83-1,108 or two years prior to the offender's mandatory discharge date, whichever is earlier. The maximum terms shall be added to compute the new 18 maximum term which, less good time, shall determine the date when 19 discharge from the custody of the state becomes mandatory. 20

Sec. 2. Original section 83-1,110, Reissue Revised Statutes of
Nebraska, is repealed.

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