



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5727**

LCO No. 1404



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Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:  
REP. PETIT, 22nd Dist.

**AN ACT PROHIBITING CERTAIN OFFENDERS FROM EARNING RISK REDUCTION CREDITS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 That section 18-98e of the general statutes be amended to prohibit  
2 any person convicted of one or more of the following crimes from  
3 earning risk reduction credit toward a reduction in such person's  
4 sentence: (1) Manslaughter in the first degree under section 53a-55 of  
5 the general statutes, (2) manslaughter in the first degree with a firearm  
6 under section 53a-55a of the general statutes, (3) assault in the first  
7 degree under section 53a-59 of the general statutes, (4) assault of an  
8 elderly, blind, disabled or pregnant person or a person with  
9 intellectual disability in the first degree under section 53a-59a of the  
10 general statutes, (5) assault of a pregnant woman resulting in  
11 termination of pregnancy under section 53a-59c of the general statutes,  
12 (6) sexual assault in the first degree under section 53a-70 of the general  
13 statutes, (7) aggravated sexual assault of a minor under section 53a-70c  
14 of the general statutes, (8) sexual assault in the third degree with a  
15 firearm under section 53a-72b of the general statutes, (9) kidnapping in  
16 the first degree under section 53a-92 of the general statutes, (10)  
17 kidnapping in the first degree with a firearm under section 53a-92a of

18 the general statutes, (11) burglary in the first degree under section 53a-  
19 101 of the general statutes, (12) arson in the first degree under section  
20 53a-111 of the general statutes, (13) robbery in the first degree under  
21 section 53a-134 of the general statutes, (14) employing a minor in an  
22 obscene performance under section 53a-196a of the general statutes,  
23 and (15) being a persistent operating while under the influence felony  
24 offender under section 53a-40f of the general statutes.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To protect the public by prohibiting persons convicted of serious felonies from participating in the earned risk reduction credit program.