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Bill Analysis

SB 1663 authorizes the court terminate a term of probation and discharge the defendant at any time earlier than that provided in the original sentence if warranted by the conduct of the defendant and if the defendant has completed at least 1 year of the probationary term. The court may make such a termination after receiving a petition filed by either the defendant or prosecuting entity. The petition must show what the defendant was convicted of, the terms of the sentence, whether the defendant has completed other terms of the sentence, whether the defendant has completed 1 year of probation, and other relevant information. If the petition is filed by the defendant, the original prosecuting entity shall have 30 days to file a response. The court shall be required to hold an evidentiary hearing on the matter within 45 days of receiving the petition.

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