

A Bill to Provide Early Release for Nonviolent Offenders

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** Section 3624 of title 18, United States Code, is amended to include the
2 following:
3 in subsection (a), by inserting “at the early release date provided in
4 subsection (g), if applicable, or otherwise” after “A prisoner shall be
5 released by the Bureau of Prisons”; and
6 by adding at the end the following: (g) Early Release for Certain
7 Nonviolent Offenders. – Notwithstanding any other provision of the law,
8 the Bureau of Prisons, shall release from confinement a prisoner who has
9 served one half or more of his term of imprisonment if that prisoner – (1)
10 has never been convicted of a crime of violence; and (2) has not engaged
11 in a violation, involving violent conduct, of institutional disciplinary
12 regulations.”
- 13 **SECTION 2.** “Term of Imprisonment” shall include any consecutive term or terms of
14 imprisonment.
- 15 **SECTION 3.** The Federal Bureau of Prisons shall oversee the implementation of this
16 legislation.
- 17 **SECTION 4.** This law shall be implemented within 90 days of passage.
- SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

This Bill respectfully submitted for Congressional Debate by East Ridge High School.