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A Bill

SENATE BILL 251

5 By: Senator Irvin
6 By: Representative Petty
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT CONCERNING THE PAROLE OF A PERSON WHO WAS
10 RELEASED OR IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED UNDER THE
11 FAIR SENTENCING FOR MINORS ACT OF 2017; AND FOR OTHER
12 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 RELEASED OR IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED
17 UNDER THE FAIR SENTENCING FOR MINORS ACT
18 OF 2017.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-93-621, concerning parole eligibility
25 under the Fair Sentencing for Minors Act, is amended to add an additional
26 subsection to read as follows:

27 (d)(1) A person who was made eligible for parole under this section
28 and who has already been granted release on parole as of the effective date
29 of this act or who may in the future become eligible for parole is eligible
30 to be discharged from supervised parole after serving at least one (1) year
31 but no more than three (3) years of supervised parole, barring any compelling
32 circumstances to be determined by the Parole Board.

33 (2) This subsection does not prohibit the board from extending
34 the supervised parole of a person otherwise eligible for discharge from
35 supervised parole under this subsection if compelling circumstances exist to
36 extend the person's parole for a period of time to be determined by the



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