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AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2025 REGULAR SESSION

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SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION

{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}

Date Prepared: 02/14/2025 *Check all that apply:*
Bill Number: SB 375 Original Correction
 Amendment Substitute

Sponsor: Antonio Maestas **Agency Name and Code**
Probation and Parole Changes **Number:** 760
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SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY25	FY26		

(Parenthesis () indicate expenditure decreases)

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY25	FY26	FY27		

(Parenthesis () indicate revenue decreases)

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY25	FY26	FY27	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total						

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:
Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

SECTION III: NARRATIVE

BILL SUMMARY

Synopsis:

Senate Bill 375 seeks to eliminate the financial burden placed on parolees by removing the requirement for parole service payments. Additionally, the bill establishes provisions for the early release of minimum-risk defendants under certain conditions. The bill clarifies how meritorious deduction (reductions in sentence for good behavior or other qualifying criteria) are applied and ensures the projected release dates, based on these deductions are accurately calculated and communicated upon an inmate's admission to a correctional facility.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

There would be no significant financial impact on the Parole Board. the bill could reduce financial burdens on Probation and Parolees while increasing state responsibility for probation and parole costs, requiring adjustments to funding allocations.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

None for Parole Board

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

None for the Parole Board

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

Minor implications would be the updating of New Mexico Adult Parole Board administrative rules.

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

None for the Parole Board

TECHNICAL ISSUES

None for the Parole Board

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

None for the Parole Board

ALTERNATIVES

None proposed by the Parole Board

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

Status Quo

AMENDMENTS

None for the Parole Board