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Through Federal Criminal Justice Reform*

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H.R. 3072 - A Bill to Revive the System of Parole for Federal Prisoners

Subject: American Correctional Association (ACA) Resolution on the Reinstatement of a System of Parole for Federal Prisoners. <http://www.aca.org>.

A resolution supporting federal legislation for the "Reinstatement of a System of Parole for Federal Prisoners" was unanimously passed by the American Correctional Association Delegate Assembly on Wednesday, 16 August 2006, in Charlotte, North Carolina.

To wit:

WHEREAS, a substantial number of Federal inmates are nonviolent drug offenders with long sentences and the majority of this segment of the inmate population is being incarcerated for the first time; and

WHEREAS, some Federal inmates are serving life sentences without the possibility of parole for nonviolent offenses; and

WHEREAS, parole has been eliminated in the Federal system; and

WHEREAS, offenders can be rehabilitated and should be given a second chance to lead productive lives; and

WHEREAS, prison crowding is a danger to both inmates and staff; and

WHEREAS, the cost to house inmates increases substantially with age; and

WHEREAS, a Federal agency with inmate release jurisdiction exists to protect public safety;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the American Correctional Association urges Congress to reinstate and fully fund a system of parole for Federal prisoners.

*Serving Federal Prisoners and Their Families
Working to Reinstatement Parole and to Increase Good Time Allowances*

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