

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 550

Introduced by Assembly Member Goldberg

February 16, 2005

An act relating to the Department of Corrections.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 550, as introduced, Goldberg. Department of Corrections: report.

Existing law provides that the Department of Corrections is responsible for the administration and regulation of the state prisons.

This bill would require the Department of Corrections to report to the Legislature by June 1, 2006, the steps that will be taken to address and prosecute any rape of any inmate, regardless of whether the rape is perpetrated by another inmate or by a prison guard.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. The Department of Corrections is hereby
2 directed to report to the Legislature, no later than June 1, 2006,
3 on the steps that will be taken to address and prosecute the rape
4 of any prison inmate, regardless of whether the rape is
5 perpetrated by another inmate, or by a prison guard.

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