

Testimony in support of LD1941: An Act to Implement Recommendations of the
Commission to Examine Reestablishing Parole

Good afternoon Representative Kuhn, Senator Carney and the esteemed members of
the Judiciary Committee,

My name is Brandon Pelletier, DOC#75581. I am providing testimony in support of
LD1941, an act to support reentry and reintegration into the community. My
incarceration has had an effect on my children, wife, and all my family. I have taken a lot
of classes and programming since I've come to prison. I've done work with mental
health, so I can overcome my past traumas and triggers and so I can come home and
be the father, husband, productive member of society everyone, including myself,
deserves. My son has struggled a lot since my incarceration. It has affected him at
school, and at home. He wants and needs his dad home with him. I've put in a lot of
work to make sure I never return to prison and leave my loved ones again. It's very
important for me and many others to return to our families and communities.

Thank you for your time and consideration. Please vote "ought to pass" on LD1941.

Sincerely,

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