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LD 1941

I am writing today to ask you to pass LD 1941. A fair parole system means clear standards and incentives for meaningful and lasting rehabilitation. The alternative, and the unfortunate reality, is simply punishment for punishment's sake. Maine is in the minority of states without adult parole, which has been proven to encourage rehabilitation, maintain public safety, and is much more cost-efficient. I urge you to do the humane thing and pass LD 1941!