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Proposed Legislation

West's Code of Georgia Annotated
Title 17. Criminal Procedure (Refs & Annos)
Chapter 17. Crime Victims' Bill of Rights (Refs & Annos)

Ga. Code Ann., § 17-17-13

§ 17-17-13. Notification of victim prior to consideration of pardon,
parole, or other clemency by State Board of Pardons and Paroles

Effective: July 1, 2015

[Currentness](#)

The State Board of Pardons and Paroles shall give 20 days' advance notification to a victim whenever it considers making a final decision to grant parole, release a defendant for a period exceeding 60 days, or grant a pardon; and the board shall provide the victim with an opportunity to file a written objection to such action. Within 72 hours of receiving a request to commute a death sentence, the State Board of Pardons and Paroles shall provide notification to a victim of the date set for hearing such request and provide such victim an opportunity to file a written response to such request. No notification to the victim need be given unless the victim has expressed a desire for such notification and has provided the State Board of Pardons and Paroles with a current mailing or e-mail address and telephone number. Failure of the victim to inform the board of a change of address or telephone number shall not void a decision of the board.

Credits

Laws 1995, p. 385, § 2; [Laws 2015, Act 43, § 1, eff. July 1, 2015](#).

Ga. Code Ann., § 17-17-13, GA ST § 17-17-13

Current through the Regular Session of the 2015 Legislative Session. The statutes are subject to changes provided by the Georgia Code Commission.

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