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Introducer's Statement of Intent

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Chairperson: Senator Laura Ebke

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: February 16, 2017

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

Legislative Bill 250 proposes to change the term "prompt consideration" for a probation violation warrant so that it does not include situations where the defendant has refused to report to probation as ordered by the court in the first place. In other words, if a party has failed to show up for probation meetings and is fully integrated into his or her probation requirements, that party shall not be eligible for the protection of prompt consideration of hir or her case when probation is sought to be revoked.

Principal Introducer: _	
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