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RREC NOTICE TO OFFENDER POPULATION

Effective February 1, 2016 the earning of Risk Reduction Earned Credit (RREC) will be aligned with an offenders overall risk level.

Connecticut General Statute Section 18-98e states that the earning of RREC will be based on an offender's adherence to their offender accountability plan, for participation in eligible programs and activities, and for good conduct and obedience to institutional rules as designated by the Commissioner of Correction.

RREC shall be earned in the following manner as long as an offender complies with their offender accountability plan and follows all institutional policies and procedures:

- Overall risk level 1 and offenders supervised in the community may earn 5 days per month
- Overall risk level 2 and 3 may earn 4 days per month
- Overall risk level 4 may earn 3 days per month
- Overall risk level 2, 3, and 4 Offenders may apply for and be considered for a lump sum award not to exceed the statutory maximum of 60 days a year (once every 24 months, from effective date of 02/01/16, for completion of programs and adherence to institutional policies and procedures)

RREC shall be rescinded, forfeited, or not awarded as noted below:

- Refusal / Removal of Institutional Program (ROIP) discipline report shall result in loss of 25 RREC days
- Offenders refusing to submit DNA, refusing to comply with sex offender requirements, or refusing to sign their OAP shall not earn RREC
- Offenders currently on a restrictive status per A.D. 9.4 shall not earn RREC
- Class A discipline report for a direct Assault on a DOC Employee, Arson, Escape from DOC Facility, Felonious Misconduct, Hostage Holding of a DOC employee, Impeding Order, and Riot shall result in loss of all earned RREC with a minimum of 60 RREC days
- Class A discipline report shall result in loss of 15 RREC days
- Class B discipline report shall result in loss of 10 RREC days
- Technical Violation of Community Release shall result in loss of 15 RREC days
- There shall not be any restoration of forfeited RREC