



1 gainfully employed and is subject to a child support obligation or  
2 obligations and from whose weekly disposable earnings an amount in  
3 excess of forty percent is being withheld for the child support  
4 obligation or obligations may, within eighteen months of his or her  
5 release, petition the court having jurisdiction over the case or  
6 cases to restructure the payments to an amount that allows the  
7 person to pay his or her necessary living expenses. In order to  
8 achieve consistency and fairness, one judge may assume jurisdiction  
9 over all the cases the person may have within that circuit of the  
10 court. In apportioning the available funds, the court shall give  
11 priority to the person's current child support obligations:  
12 Provided, That a minimum of \$50 per month shall be paid in each  
13 case.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to allow an inmate upon release from custody to restructure child support payments under the jurisdiction of one judge.

This section is new; therefore, it has been completely underscored.