

HB 2549 -- CONDITIONS OF PROBATION

SPONSOR: Morse (151)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Corrections and Public Institutions by a vote of 6 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules- Legislative Oversight by a vote of 9 to 3.

This bill specifies that, in addition to any other conditions that may be imposed for probation, a judge may consider assigning the defendant to roadside cleanup as a condition of probation when the judge deems it to be appropriate.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that this simply allows judges to assign individuals to pick up trash as a condition of their probation.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Morse.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.