

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 1983

100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MERIDETH.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To repeal section 221.060, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to prisoner privileges.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 221.060, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 221.060, to read as follows:

221.060. Every sheriff and jailer, and other person or persons whatsoever, to whose custody or keeping any person or persons shall be committed by virtue of any writ or process, or for any criminal offense, except on conviction for felony, shall make and post reasonable rules for the operation of the jail[,] and shall permit any such person committed to his care to obtain and use food and bedding at such person's expense within those rules as may be convenient and necessary for the proper operation of the jail or confinement facility. **Reasonable limits on the length and frequency of telephone calls may be instituted, but there shall be no charge for any local call, and each committed person shall be allowed one long-distance call at no cost during his or her incarceration.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.