

SHJR 4220 - H AMD 1034

By Representative Appleton

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1 On page 1, beginning on line 8, after "section 20." strike all
2 material through "great." on line 12 and insert "All persons charged
3 with crime shall beailable by sufficient sureties, except for
4 capital offenses when the proof is evident, or the presumption great,
5 considering all the relevant information available to the court."

EFFECT: Removes the language giving judges the discretion to deny bail to a person charged with a crime if only the pretrial detention of the person will reasonably assure public safety.

Requires that when a court determines whether to release a person charged with a capital offense on bail, the court consider all the relevant information that is available.

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