

# WEST VIRGINIA CODE: §15A-4-17A

## **§15A-4-17a. Division of Corrections and Rehabilitation mandatory supervised release plan.**

The commissioner may develop a mandatory supervised release plan for an inmate serving a sentence for a felony offense not referenced in §15A-4-17(k) of this code who has not been granted discretionary parole 180 days prior to the inmate's minimum expiration of sentence, which may include electronic monitoring as a condition of release. The inmate may be released and subject to a period of mandatory supervision of 180 days when he or she is 180 days from his or her minimum expiration of sentence.

- (1) An inmate on mandatory supervised release pursuant to this subsection may be returned by the commissioner to a correctional facility for violation of the conditions of supervision and may not again be eligible for mandatory supervised release during the same period of incarceration.
- (2) An inmate on mandatory supervised release shall be considered released on parole.
- (3) Mandatory supervised release is not a commutation of sentence or any other form of clemency.
- (4) Subject to subdivision (1) of this subsection, the period of mandatory supervised release shall conclude upon completion of the minimum expiration of sentence.