



**TESTIMONY OF THE STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL
TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE, 2008**

ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE:

S.B. NO. 3182, S.D. 1, RELATING TO EXTENDED SENTENCING.

BEFORE THE:

SENATE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

DATE: Wednesday, February 27, 2008 **TIME:** 11:25 AM

LOCATION: State Capitol Room 211
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TESTIFIER(S): WRITTEN TESTIMONY ONLY.
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Chair Baker and Members of the Committee:

The Department of the Attorney General supports the intent of this bill.

The purpose of this bill is to provide for extended term sentencing of criminal offenders who commit certain felonies against good samaritans.

People who aid victims of crime may expose themselves to danger and further criminal conduct directed against them. Such "good samaritan" conduct should be encouraged and protected.