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We recommend the following conference compromise:

- Approve funding of \$3 million for the reentry facilities program study and acquisition activities (Assembly plus \$3 million).
- Approve budget bill language (BBL) proposed by the administration allowing the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) with the approval of the Department of Finance to use funds for site investigations and real estate due diligence activities preliminary to the site selection and acquisition of interests in real property. The CDCR is also authorized, with the approval of the State Public Works Board, to enter into agreements for the acquisition of an option to purchase real property.
- Approve BBL proposed by the Senate ensuring that reentry facility program study and acquisition funds are available for expenditure for three years.
- Approve trailer bill language proposed by the Senate requiring counties to reimburse the state for due diligence expenditures for properties that have issues that preclude them from being used for reentry facilities if the issues should have been reasonably known by the county.
- Approve supplemental report language proposed by the LAO requiring CDCR to reconcile the expenditures it has made with the reentry study and acquisition funding by May 1, 2009. The department would report on funds expended for due diligence, real property purchase options, and consultant services.

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Proposed Supplemental Report Language

Reconciliation of Reentry Site Evaluations, Real Property Purchase Options, and Consultant Services. No later than May 1, 2009, the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) shall provide to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee and the fiscal committees of both houses of the Legislature a reconciliation of funds it has spent in conducting site evaluations and obtaining real property purchase options for its reentry facilities. The department shall also report on funds spent on consultant services related to the site investigations and real estate due diligence activities for reentry facilities. For each site evaluation conducted, CDCR shall identify the location, cost, and the results of the evaluation (such as the successful or unsuccessful securing of a reentry facility). For each real property purchase option obtained, CDCR shall identify the location, cost, and the results of the real property purchase option (such as the successful or unsuccessful securing of a reentry facility). For each consultant service retained, CDCR shall discuss the cost of the type of service delivered, and any reentry facility that may have been secured as a result of the services.