***The Missouri Senate Minute* Script
Criminal Laws**

Missouri senators take another look at some of our state’s crime laws.

Monday afternoon and evening were dedicated to [Senate Bill 850](https://www.senate.mo.gov/22info/bts_web/Bill.aspx?SessionType=R&BillID=71259864).

Sponsor, Sen. Jason Bean of Holcomb, says this measure seeks to modify provisions relating to criminal laws…

 **Bean :06 Q: on our communities.**

Senate Bill 850 includes changes to rules governing eligibility for parole, witnesses in cases involving sexual offenses, 48-hour holds without a warrant, dangerous offenders and a revised Sexual Assault Survivors’ Bill of Rights.

During discussion on the floor of the Missouri Senate, Sen. Karla May of St. Louis says she has concerns with proposed minimum prison sentences for armed-criminal action charges…

 **May :09 Q: a deadly weapon.**

Senate Bill 850 has been set aside for future talks.

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