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I support the changes as I understand them.

By limiting the voting rights of a person convicted of a felony to the time incarcerated, we are moving closer to honoring our constitution.

I am not sure I understand why an incarcerated person, even, should be denied the right to vote. Perhaps someone incarcerated for a crime that relates to voting fraud -- that might make sense. But violent and nonviolent felonious offenders are still human beings and citizens of the State and Country.

Seems like taking away voting rights is a very slippery slope.

So, kudos for limiting that kind of penalty.

Sincerely,

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