

124.413 Mandatory minimum sentence — parole eligibility.

1. Except as provided in [subsection 3](#) and [sections 901.11](#) and [901.12](#), a person sentenced pursuant to [section 124.401, subsection 1](#), paragraph “a”, “b”, “e”, “f”, “g”, or “h”, shall not be eligible for parole or work release until the person has served a minimum term of confinement of one-third of the maximum indeterminate sentence prescribed by law.

2. [This section](#) shall not apply if:

- a. The offense is found to be an accommodation pursuant to [section 124.410](#); or
- b. The controlled substance is marijuana.

3. A person serving a sentence pursuant to [section 124.401, subsection 1](#), paragraph “b”, shall be denied parole or work release, based upon all the pertinent information as determined by the court under [section 901.11, subsection 1](#), until the person has served between one-half of the minimum term of confinement prescribed in [subsection 1](#) and the maximum indeterminate sentence prescribed by law.

[C79, 81, §204.413]

[89 Acts, ch 225, §14](#)

C93, §124.413

[2009 Acts, ch 41, §182; 2016 Acts, ch 1104, §1, 2; 2017 Acts, ch 122, §10, 11; 2023 Acts, ch 86, §8](#)

Referred to in [§124.401E, 232.45, 901.10, 901.11, 901.12, 903A.5](#)