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## Summary of Cases Accepted and Related Actions During Week of August 31, 2015

The California Supreme Court has announced that no cases were accepted during the week of August 31, 2015.

### STATUS

**#15-155 *People v. Hickman*, S227964.** In this case in which review was previously granted, the court ordered briefing deferred pending decision in *People v. Morales*, S228030 (#15-156), which includes the following issue: Can excess custody credits be used to reduce or eliminate the one-year parole period required by Penal Code section 1170.18, subdivision (d), upon resentencing under Proposition 47?

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