

Execution of Sentences

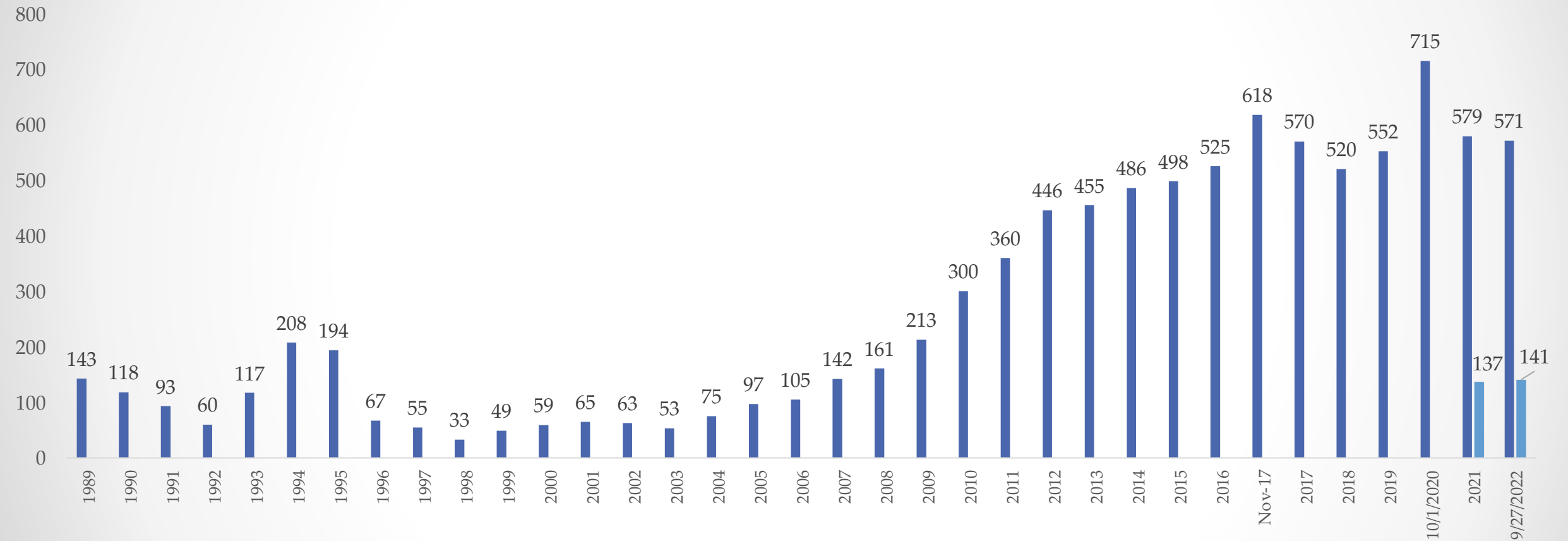
Systemic approach to re-socialization of convicted persons

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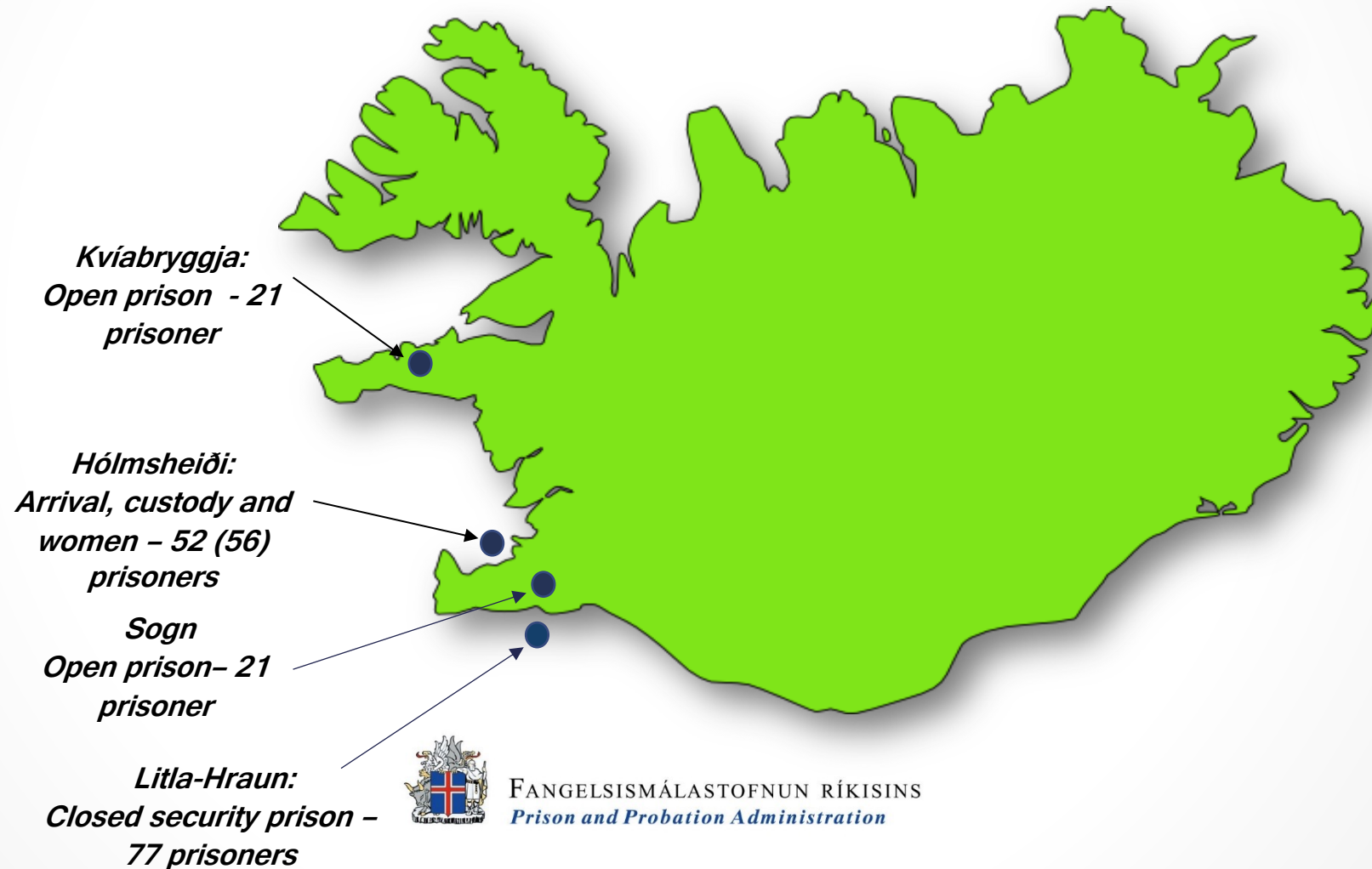
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Prisons in Iceland



Community service

- Those sentenced to 24 months prison or less can serve the time with community service instead of in prison
 - If it is not considered contrary to public interest
 - An administrative decision made by the PPA



Time served with community service

- 1 month prison sentence = 40 hours of community service
 - Work period of minimum 2-3 months
- 24 month's prison sentence = 960 hours of community service
 - Work period of minimum 6 months
- Part of community service can take the form of counselling or an approved course of study

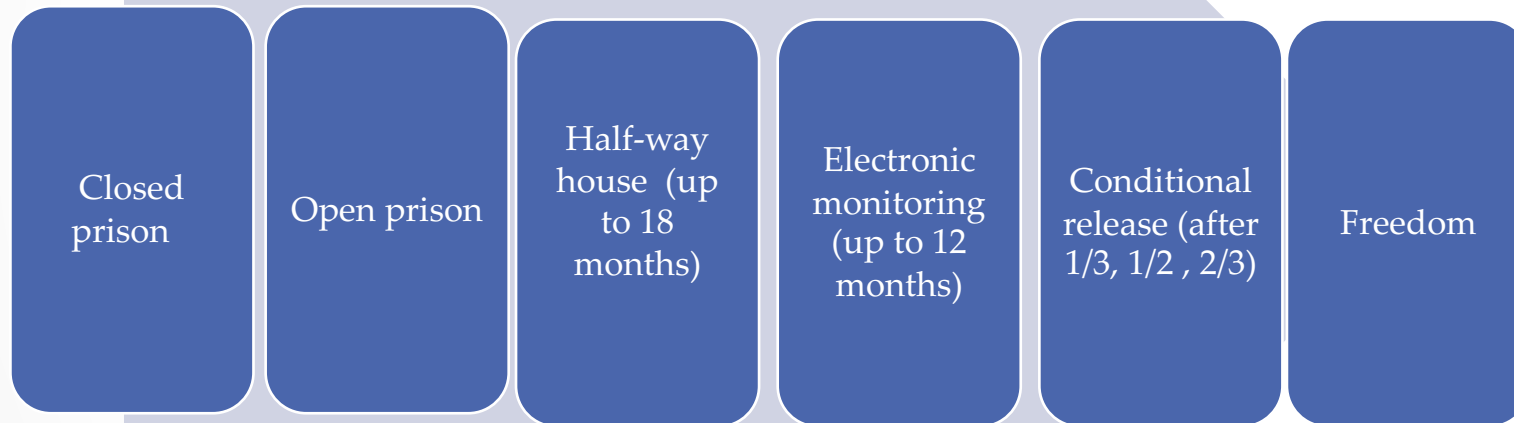


Violation of conditions

- If the sentenced person no longer fulfils conditions for community service the PPA shall decide:
 - whether the conditions are to be changed
 - whether the period during which community service is to be performed is to be lengthened
 - whether the sentence is to be served in prison



Ideal sentencing management



Prisoners rights

- Basic human rights
 - apply throughout the prison sentence
 - practice of religion
 - right to privacy
 - Freedom of expression
- Special rights of prisoners
 - right to visits, phone calls and correspondence
 - day and family leave
 - access to media
 - library
 - studies and work inside and outside prison



Half way house and electronic monitoring

- **Half way house:**
- 1 year prison sentence = up to 3 months at a half-way house
- 2 years prison sentence = 4 months
- 11 years prison sentence = 18 months (maximum time)

- **Electronic monitoring:**
- 1 year prison sentence = 60 days of EM
- 6 years prison sentence = 1 year of EM



Sentencing development

12 years prison sentence -conditional
release after 2/3 of the sentence

	2007	2022
Closed prison	7 years	18 months
Open prison	0	4 years
Half-way house	1 year	18 months
Electronic tagging	0	1 year

