

**Subject** Establishing a felony offense for directing an emergency response to the homes of certain individuals

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## Overview

Under current law it is a crime to report a false emergency with the intent of having emergency responders respond to the false report. The severity of the crime depends on whether the person making the call has a prior offense and whether anyone is injured during the response.

This bill establishes a felony consequence if the person places the call with the intent of prompting an emergency response to the home of an elected official, judge, prosecuting attorney, employee of a correctional facility, or peace officer.

## Summary

Section	Description
1	<p><b>Felony offense; reporting fictitious emergency resulting in response to the home of certain officials.</b></p> <p>Establishes a felony penalty of up to one year in prison, a fine of \$5,000, or both if a person reports a false emergency and does so with the intent that emergency responders go to the home of an elected official, judge, prosecuting attorney, employee of a correctional facility, or peace officer.</p>
2	<p><b>Definition.</b></p> <p>Makes a conforming change.</p>