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Overview

The bill corrects a drafting error made in the 2004 session. The law enforcement data section of the Data Practices Act was amended to add a reference to the Department of Commerce's Division of Insurance Fraud Prevention. Inadvertently, this reference had the effect of denying the rest of the Commerce Department access to law enforcement data. The bill restores the whole department's access rights so it can resume its various previously existing enforcement duties. It is effective immediately.