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Subject Peace officers

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Overview

This bill extends the prohibition on the use of certain public safety peer support activity information, creates a prohibition on the disclosure and admission as evidence of public safety critical incident stress management information, and requires the reporting of certain law enforcement use of force data.

Summary

Section Description

1 Public safety peer support activity.

Extends the prohibition on the use of improperly disclosed public safety peer counseling information or opinions from just "personnel and occupational licensing matter[s]" to all criminal, administrative, and civil proceedings involving the subject of the support activity. Requires peer support providers to be trained.

2 Critical incident stress management.

Prohibits the disclosure of information shared in a public safety critical incident management session unless the person believes the information is necessary to prevent harm to the public safety officer or another. Expressly prohibits admission of this type of information in administrative, civil, or criminal proceedings.

3 Use of force reporting.

Requires chief law enforcement officers to report to the superintendent of the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension each incident of peace officer use of force that results in serious bodily injury or death. The superintendent must report the data collected to the Federal Bureau of Investigation, as required under federal law. The superintendent must also annually report aggregate use of force data collected under this section to the legislature.



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