House ______ Amendment NO.____

Offered By 1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 436, Page 1, Section A, Line 2, by 2 inserting after all of said section and line the following: 3 4 "590.180. 1. No arrest shall be deemed unlawful solely because of the licensure status of a 5 peace officer, and evidence on the question cannot be received in any civil or criminal case. 6 2. The name, licensure status, and commissioning or employing law enforcement agency, if 7 any, of applicants and licensees pursuant to this chapter shall be an open record. Any records 8 relating to the disciplinary action taken against a law enforcement officer when an officer has 9 applied for a position within a law enforcement agency other than the one in which the disciplinary action arose shall be disclosed by the director to the law enforcement agency at which the officer 10 has applied for employment, upon the agency's request. All other records retained by the director 11 12 pertaining to any applicant or licensee shall be confidential and shall not be disclosed to the public or any member of the public, except with written consent of the person or entity whose records are 13 14 involved, provided, however, that the director may disclose such information in the course of 15 voluntary interstate exchange of information, during the course of litigation involving the director, or to other state agencies[, or, upon a final determination of cause to discipline, to law enforcement 16 agencies]. No closed record conveyed to the director pursuant to this chapter shall lose its status as 17 a closed record solely because it is retained by the director. Nothing in this section shall be used to 18 19 compel the director to disclose any record subject to attorney-client privilege or work-product 20 privilege. 21 3. In any investigation, hearing, or other proceeding pursuant to this chapter, any record 22 relating to any applicant or licensee shall be discoverable by the director and shall be admissible into evidence, regardless of any statutory or common law privilege or the status of any record as 23 24 open or closed, including records in criminal cases whether or not a sentence has been imposed. No person or entity shall withhold records or testimony bearing upon the fitness to be commissioned as 25 a peace officer of any applicant or licensee on the ground of any privilege involving the applicant or 26 27 licensee, with the exception of attorney-client privilege. 4. Any person or entity submitting information to the director pursuant to this chapter and 28 29 doing so in good faith and without negligence shall be immune from all criminal and civil liability 30 arising from the submission of such information and no cause of action of any nature shall arise 31 against such person. 32 5. No person shall make any unauthorized use of any testing materials or certification 33 examination administered pursuant to subsection 2 of section 590.030."; and 34 35 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references 36 accordingly.

Action Taken_____ Date _____