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Amend the amendment by striking out all of the mandate preamble (page 1, lines 15 to 19 in amendment).

Amend the amendment in section 1 in §2203 in subsection 2 in the first paragraph in the last line (page 2, line 25 in amendment) by striking out the following: "shall, using standard operating procedures, immediately" and inserting the following: 'may, using standard operating procedures'

Amend the amendment in section 1 in §2203 in subsection 3 in the 2nd line (page 2, line 36 in amendment) by striking out the following: "shall" and inserting the following: 'may'

Amend the amendment in section 1 in §2203 in subsection 3 in the 2nd line (page 2, line 36 in amendment) by inserting after the following: "alert." the following: 'If the agency issues an alert, then the following provisions apply.'

Amend the amendment in section 1 in §2204 in subsection 2 in the 1st line (page 3, line 29 in amendment) by striking out the following: "shall" and inserting the following: 'may'

## SUMMARY

This amendment removes the mandate preamble from the committee amendment by making the reporting by local law enforcement agencies permissive rather than mandatory.