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Proposed Bill No. 6585

LCO No. 1568



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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:
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AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MODEL POLICY AND PROCURE TO EXAMINE INCIDENTS WHERE A POLICE OFFICER DISCHARGES A FIREARM IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 104 of the general statutes be amended to require the
- 2 Police Officer Standards and Training Council to develop and
- 3 promulgate a model policy and procedure for a board which shall
- 4 examine incidents where a police officer discharges a firearm, except
- 5 where such discharge is accidental, is for training purposes or does not
- 6 endanger a person, and that chapter 959 of the general statutes be
- 7 amended to require the Division of State Police within the Department
- 8 of Emergency Services and Public Protection and each municipal
- 9 police department to establish such a board and adopt and maintain a
- 10 written policy and procedure that meets or exceeds the model policy
- 11 and procedure developed by the Police Officer Standards and Training
- 12 Council.

Statement of Purpose:

To require the Police Officer Standards and Training Council to develop a model policy and procedure for a board which shall examine incidents where a police officer discharges a firearm and to

require the state police and each municipal police department to establish such a board and adopt and maintain a written policy and procedure that meets or exceeds the model policy and procedure.