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"AN ACT REQUIRING SOCIAL MEDIA POLICIES FOR POLICE DEPARTMENTS."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) As used in this section, "social
4 media" has the same meaning as provided in section 9-601 of the general
5 statutes. Not later than January 1, 2022, the executive director of the Joint
6 Committee on Legislative Management shall adopt and maintain a
7 written policy concerning the use of social media by the Offices of
8 Legislative Research, Fiscal Analysis and Legislative Management and
9 the Legislative Commissioners' Office. Such policy shall include, but
10 need not be limited to, (1) guidelines regarding the use of a social media
11 account used by such offices, (2) the responsibilities of any person
12 employed by such offices who manages and approves content to post
13 on such social media account, (3) procedures when the unauthorized
14 use of such social media account is detected, (4) guidelines to ensure
15 compliance with any applicable state or federal law, (5) guidelines

16 regarding content suitable and not suitable for posting on such social
17 media account, and (6) methods to limit indecent or obscene content on
18 any such social media account."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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