

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

Comm: FAV 04/01/2009

The Committee on Criminal Justice (Villalobos) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 358 and 359 insert:

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(15) Unless the department determines that a person is otherwise required by law to submit a DNA sample for inclusion in the statewide DNA database, the department shall, upon receipt and completion of such verification of the information noted below as may be required, promptly remove from the statewide DNA database the DNA analysis and any DNA biological samples that may have been retained of a person included



therein:

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(a) on the basis of a conviction for a qualifying offense specified in (2)(q)1., if the department receives, from the person seeking removal of DNA information from the statewide DNA database, for each qualifying offense, a certified copy of a final court order establishing that such conviction has been overturned on direct appeal or set aside in a postconviction proceeding; or

(b) on the basis of an arrest, if the department receives, from the person seeking removal of DNA information from the statewide DNA database, for each charge against the person on the basis of which the analysis was or could have been included in the statewide DNA database, a certified copy of the No Information or Nolle Prosequi filed by the state attorney, or final court order or other official documentation establishing that such charge has been dismissed or has resulted in an acquittal or that no charge was filed within the applicable time period.

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35 36 For purposes of this section, a court order is not final if time remains for an appeal or application for discretionary review with respect to the order, or if a case has been remanded for retrial or other proceedings and has not been resolved after remand, or time remains for appeal or discretionary review of the remanded case or any other such proceedings that have not concluded and rendered the case resolved with finality.

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(16) The department shall, by rule, establish the procedure by which a person seeking removal of his or her DNA analysis and biological sample from the statewide DNA database shall submit



the certified information required in subsection (15) to the department.

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======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========= And the title is amended as follows:

Between lines 43 and 44

47 insert:

> providing circumstances that require removal of the DNA analysis and DNA sample from the statewide DNA database of a person whose DNA analysis and sample was included in the database as a result of a conviction for a qualifying offense; providing circumstances that require removal of the DNA analysis and DNA sample from the statewide DNA database of a person whose DNA analysis and sample was included in the database as a result of arrest; providing the Department of Law Enforcement procedural rulemaking authority related to the implementation of the removal of DNA analyses and samples from the statewide DNA database; providing