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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
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The Committee on Criminal Justice (Brandes) recommended the following:

1 **Senate Amendment to Amendment (937444) (with title**
2 **amendment)**

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4 Delete line 63
5 and insert:

6 (5) DRONE PILOT STUDY OF CRASH INVESTIGATIONS.-
7 Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, beginning July 1,
8 2017, and ending June 30, 2019, the Department of Highway Safety
9 and Motor Vehicles may conduct a pilot study using drones for
10 the investigation of automobile accidents. This subsection also



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11 applies to any investigation of an automobile accident in which
12 any law enforcement officer of the department is assisting the
13 investigation of an automobile accident conducted by any other
14 investigating entity. The department shall prepare a report of
15 any use of drones for the investigation of automobile accidents
16 and shall submit the report to the Governor, the President of
17 the Senate, and the Speaker of the House not later than January
18 1, 2020. The report must include, at a minimum, an assessment of
19 any cost savings by the use of drones for the investigation of
20 an automobile accident.

21 (6) CONSTRUCTION.-This section shall be construed in

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23 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

24 And the title is amended as follows:

25 Delete line 94

26 and insert:

27 prohibited acts; authorizing the Department of Highway
28 Safety and Motor Vehicles to conduct a pilot study
29 using drones for the investigation of automobile
30 accidents; providing applicability; providing
31 construction; requiring the department to prepare a
32 specified report and submit it to specified persons by
33 a certain date; providing minimum requirements for the
34 report; amending s.