

## HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY

BILL: SB 184

[S0184.HMS]

SPONSOR: Senator Lee

SUBJECT: Concealed Handcuff Key Offense

PREPARED BY: Senate Committee on Criminal Justice

DATE: April 18, 2000

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### I. Amendments Contained in Message

**House Amendment 1 - 090513** (body with title)

### II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message

**House Amendment 1** is a strike everything amendment that incorporates the substance of HB 145 and an amendment traveling with that bill. The substance of HB 145 with the traveling amendment are almost identical to the substance of SB 184 with three exceptions. First, House Amendment 1 defines “in custody” as any time while a person has been placed by a law enforcement officer in handcuffs. Senate Bill 184 includes flexcuffs and other restraining devices. Second, House Amendment 1 removes extraneous wording in the definition of “concealed handcuff key” in SB 184. Third, House amendment 1 amends an affirmative defense in SB 184 that is available to officers with arrest powers to add limited surety agents. Such agents do have limited powers of arrest.