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Offered by:

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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5448

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"AN ACT CONCERNING STATE POLICE CRUISERS."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2004*) Each vehicle purchased
4 for use primarily as a patrol car by a state police officer on or after
5 January 1, 2006, shall be equipped with a manufacturer-installed fire
6 suppression system. For purposes of this section, "fire suppression
7 system" means a system that is integrated into the structure and
8 electrical architecture of a vehicle and (1) uses sensors to measure post-
9 impact vehicle movement to determine the optimal time to deploy
10 chemicals designed to suppress the spread of fire or extinguish a fire
11 resulting from a high-speed rear-end collision, and (2) may be
12 activated both manually and automatically."

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	October 1, 2004