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"AN ACT CONCERNING EVIDENCE TAMPERING, PERJURY AND FALSE STATEMENTS BY POLICE OFFICERS."

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

3 "Sec. 501. Section 7-294aa of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

5 (a) Any sworn police officer employed by the state or a municipality
6 who takes a leave of absence or resigns from such officer's
7 employment on or after September 11, 2001, to volunteer for
8 participation in international peacekeeping operations, is selected for
9 such participation by a company which the United States Department
10 of State has contracted with to recruit, select, equip and deploy police
11 officers for such peacekeeping operations, and participates in such
12 peacekeeping operations under the supervision of the United Nations,
13 the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe or other
14 sponsoring organization, shall be entitled, upon return [from such
15 leave] to the United States, (1) to be restored by such officer's employer

16 to the position of employment held by the officer when the leave
17 commenced, or (2) if the original position of employment is not
18 available, to be restored to an equivalent position with equivalent
19 employment benefits, pay and other terms and conditions of
20 employment, provided not later than six months after such return such
21 officer notifies such officer's employer of such return and such officer's
22 desire to be restored to such officer's original position of employment
23 or an equivalent position of employment.

24 (b) The Police Officer Standards and Training Council shall not
25 cancel or revoke the certification of a police officer during the period
26 such officer is participating in international peacekeeping operations
27 outside the United States in accordance with subsection (a) of this
28 section and for a period of six months after such officer returns to the
29 United States, except for a reason specified in subsection (c) of section
30 7-294d, as amended by this act."