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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 200      File No. 71      Cal. No. 130

**"AN ACT CONCERNING REGISTRATION OF HOMEMAKER-COMPANION AGENCIES WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION."**

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- 1      In line 149, after "statutes," insert "as amended by this act,"
- 2      After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
3      internal references accordingly:
- 4      "Sec. 501. Section 29-17a of the general statutes is repealed and the  
5      following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2005*):
- 6      (a) [If] Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, if a  
7      criminal history records check is required pursuant to any provision of  
8      the general statutes, such check shall be requested from the State Police  
9      Bureau of Identification and shall be applicable to the individual  
10     identified in the request. The requesting party shall arrange for the  
11     fingerprinting of the individual or for conducting any other method of  
12     positive identification required by the State Police Bureau of  
13     Identification and, if a national criminal history records check is

14 requested, by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. The fingerprints or  
15 other positive identifying information shall be forwarded to the State  
16 Police Bureau of Identification which shall conduct a state criminal  
17 history records check. If a national criminal history records check is  
18 requested, the State Police Bureau of Identification shall submit the  
19 fingerprints or other positive identifying information to the Federal  
20 Bureau of Investigation for a national criminal history records check,  
21 unless the Federal Bureau of Investigation permits direct submission of  
22 the fingerprints or other positive identifying information by the  
23 requesting party.

24 (b) The Commissioner of Public Safety may charge fees for  
25 conducting criminal history background checks as follows:

26 (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, for a  
27 person requesting (A) a state criminal history records check, the fee  
28 charged by the Department of Public Safety for performing such check,  
29 and (B) a national criminal history records check, the fee charged by  
30 the Federal Bureau of Investigation for performing such check.

31 (2) For a state agency requesting a national criminal history records  
32 check of a person, the fee charged by the Federal Bureau of  
33 Investigation for performing such check. The state agency shall  
34 reimburse the Department of Public Safety for such cost. Unless  
35 otherwise provided by the provision of the general statutes requiring  
36 the criminal history records check, the state agency may charge the  
37 person a fee equal to the amount paid by the state agency under this  
38 subdivision.

39 (c) Any employer or other entity required to request a state or  
40 national criminal history records check pursuant to any provision of  
41 the general statutes may use the services of a business that has access  
42 to the same data system used by the State Police Bureau of  
43 Identification and the Federal Bureau of Investigation to conduct such  
44 check."