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Introducer(s):

Judiciary Committee

Title: AN ACT EXCLUDING VIOLENT OFFENSE VICTIMS FROM JURY SERVICE IN CERTAIN CRIMINAL CASES.

Statement of Purpose: To excuse a violent crime victim from jury service on any criminal case where the defendant is accused of a violent crime in order to avoid further psychological trauma to the victim.

Bill History:

01/26/09 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee

02/18/09 VOTE TO DRAFT

03/17/09 DRAFTED BY COMMITTEE

03/18/09 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee

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03/27/09 JOINT FAVORABLE SUBSTITUTE

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04/16/09 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE

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04/29/09 REFERRED BY SENATE TO COMMITTEE ON Appropriations Committee

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