



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 574

LCO No. 2431



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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:

SEN. CHAMPAGNE, 35th Dist.

AN ACT REVISING PROVISIONS OF PUBLIC ACT 20-1 OF THE JULY SPECIAL SESSION, ALSO KNOWN AS THE POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY ACT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 That the general statutes be amended to: (1) Repeal section 52-571k of
2 the general statutes regarding deprivation of equal protection of the
3 laws of the state committed by a police officer; (2) amend sections 7-
4 294hh and 29-8 of the general statutes to eliminate the liability arising
5 from the failure of a police officer to strictly comply with crowd control
6 requirements; (3) eliminate the changes to section 53a-22 of the general
7 statutes regarding police use of force that are effective April 1, 2021; and
8 (4) amend section 7-294ee of the general statutes to eliminate the
9 requirement that each law enforcement unit obtain and maintain
10 accreditation by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement
11 Agencies, Inc. beginning on January 1, 2025.

Statement of Purpose:

To provide relief to law enforcement from provisions of public act 20-1 of the July special session that negatively impact public safety.