### SECOND REGULAR SESSION

# **HOUSE BILL NO. 1819**

## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

#### INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

## AN ACT

To amend chapter 590, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to disclosures by peace officer applicants.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 590, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be 2 known as section 590.058, to read as follows:

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590.058. During the application or interview process for employment as a peace

- 2 officer, an applicant shall disclose whether he or she has had any complaints, 3 disciplinary actions, or internal investigations as a peace officer while employed with
- 4 any other law enforcement agency. If the applicant has had any prior complaints,
- 5 disciplinary actions, or internal investigations, he or she shall undergo a psychological
- 6 evaluation prior to being hired as a peace officer to determine whether he or she can
- 7 effectively work in the field of law enforcement. If, after the psychological evaluation,
- 8 the applicant is found qualified to effectively work in the field of law enforcement, he or
- 9 she shall receive additional training addressing the issue that resulted in any such
- 10 complaint, disciplinary action, or internal investigation.

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.