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CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u> . <u>House</u>

Comm: RCS .

4/16/2008 .

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1 The Committee on Judiciary (Joyner) recommended the following

2 **amendment:**

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4 **Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

5 Delete line(s) 87-127,

6 and insert:

7 calendar year to the Office of the State Courts Administrator and

8 to the clerk of the circuit court in the county where the

9 pretrial release program is located. The annual report must be

10 readily accessible to the public.

11 (b) The annual report must contain, but need not be limited

12 to:

13 1. The name, location, and funding sources of the pretrial

14 release program, including the amount of public funds, if any,

15 received by the pretrial release program.

16 2. The operating and capital budget of each pretrial

17 release program receiving public funds.

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19 3.a. The percentage of the pretrial release program's total

20 budget representing receipt of public funds.

21 b. The percentage of the total budget which is allocated to

22 assisting defendants obtain release through a nonpublicly funded

23 program.

24 c. The amount of fees paid by defendants to the pretrial

25 release program.

26 4. The number of persons employed by the pretrial release

27 program.

28 5. The number of defendants assessed and interviewed for

29 pretrial release.

30 6. The number of defendants recommended for pretrial

31 release.

32 7. The number of defendants for whom the pretrial release

33 program recommended against nonsecured release.

34 8. The number of defendants granted nonsecured release

35 after the pretrial release program recommended nonsecured

36 release.

37 9. The number of defendants assessed and interviewed for

38 pretrial release who were declared indigent by the court.

39 10. The name and case number of each person granted

40 nonsecured release who:

41 a. Failed to attend a scheduled court appearance.

42 b. Was issued a warrant for failing to appear.

43 c. Was arrested for any offense while on release through

44 the pretrial release program.

45 11. Any additional information deemed necessary by the

46 chief judge of the circuit court of the county or the Office of

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47 | the State Courts Administrator to assess the performance and cost
48 | efficiency of the pretrial release program.
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50 | ================ T I T L E   A M E N D M E N T ================
51 | And the title is amended as follows:
52 | On line 14, delete "Court"
53 | and insert:
54 | Courts