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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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1 Representative Boyd offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Between lines 3682 and 3683, insert:

5 Section 92. Subsection (1) of section 316.066, Florida  
6 Statutes, is amended to read:

7 316.066 Written reports of crashes.—

8 (1) (a) A Florida Traffic Crash Report, Long Form, must ~~is~~  
9 ~~required to~~ be completed and submitted to the department within  
10 10 days after ~~completing~~ an investigation is completed by the  
11 ~~every~~ law enforcement officer who in the regular course of duty  
12 investigates a motor vehicle crash:

13 1. That resulted in death of, ~~or~~ personal injury to, or  
14 any indication of complaints of pain or discomfort by any of the  
15 parties or passengers involved in the crash;

16 2. That involved one or more passengers, other than the

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17 drivers of the vehicles, in any of the vehicles involved in the  
18 crash;-

19 3.2- That involved a violation of s. 316.061(1) or s.  
20 316.193; or-

21 4.3- In which a vehicle was rendered inoperative to a  
22 degree that required a wrecker to remove it from traffic, if  
23 such action is appropriate, in the officer's discretion.

24 (b) The long form must include:

25 1. The date, time, and location of the crash.

26 2. A description of the vehicles involved.

27 3. The names and addresses of the parties involved.

28 4. The names and addresses of witnesses.

29 5. The name, badge number, and law enforcement agency of  
30 the officer investigating the crash.

31 6. The names of the insurance companies for the respective  
32 parties involved in the crash.

33 7. The names and addresses of all passengers in all  
34 vehicles involved in the crash, each clearly identified as being  
35 a passenger, including the identification of the vehicle in  
36 which each was a passenger.

37 (c) ~~(b)~~ In every crash for which a Florida Traffic Crash  
38 Report, Long Form, is not required by this section, the law  
39 enforcement officer may complete a short-form crash report or  
40 provide a short-form crash report to be completed by each party  
41 involved in the crash. The short-form report must include all of  
42 the items listed in subparagraphs (b)1.-6. Short-form crash  
43 reports prepared by the law enforcement officer shall be  
44 maintained by the officer's agency.÷

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45 ~~1. The date, time, and location of the crash.~~

46 ~~2. A description of the vehicles involved.~~

47 ~~3. The names and addresses of the parties involved.~~

48 ~~4. The names and addresses of witnesses.~~

49 ~~5. The name, badge number, and law enforcement agency of~~  
50 ~~the officer investigating the crash.~~

51 ~~6. The names of the insurance companies for the respective~~  
52 ~~parties involved in the crash.~~

53 ~~(d)~~ (e) Each party to the crash must ~~shall~~ provide the law  
54 enforcement officer with proof of insurance, which must ~~to~~ be  
55 included in the crash report. If a law enforcement officer  
56 submits a report on the accident, proof of insurance must be  
57 provided to the officer by each party involved in the crash. Any  
58 party who fails to provide the required information commits a  
59 noncriminal traffic infraction, punishable as a nonmoving  
60 violation as provided in chapter 318, unless the officer  
61 determines that due to injuries or other special circumstances  
62 such insurance information cannot be provided immediately. If  
63 the person provides the law enforcement agency, within 24 hours  
64 after the crash, proof of insurance that was valid at the time  
65 of the crash, the law enforcement agency may void the citation.

66 ~~(e)~~ (d) The driver of a vehicle that was in any manner  
67 involved in a crash resulting in damage to any vehicle or other  
68 property in an amount of \$500 or more, ~~which crash~~ was not  
69 investigated by a law enforcement agency, ~~shall~~ shall, within 10 days  
70 after the crash, submit a written report of the crash to the  
71 department or traffic records center. The entity receiving the  
72 report may require witnesses of the crash ~~crashes~~ to render

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73 reports and may require any driver of a vehicle involved in the  
74 a crash ~~of which a written report must be made as provided in~~  
75 ~~this section~~ to file supplemental written reports if whenever  
76 the original report is deemed insufficient by the receiving  
77 entity.

78 (f) The investigating law enforcement officer may testify  
79 at trial or provide a signed affidavit to confirm or supplement  
80 the information included on the long-form or short-form report.

81 ~~(e) Short form crash reports prepared by law enforcement~~  
82 ~~shall be maintained by the law enforcement officer's agency.~~

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Remove line 353 and insert:

88 maintain a list of approved alarm systems; amending s. 316.066,  
89 F.S.; revising provisions requiring written reports of motor  
90 vehicle crashes; revising conditions under which a report must  
91 be submitted to the department; authorizing the investigating  
92 officer to testify at trial or provide an affidavit concerning  
93 the content of the reports; providing