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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

	Senate .	House
	Comm: WD .	
	04/16/2019 .	
	Appropriations Subcommittee on Cri	minal and Civil Justice
	(Bracy) recommended the following:	
1	Senate Amendment (with direct	cory and title amendments)
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3	Delete lines 352 - 357	
4	and insert:	
5	the probation officer must submit	recommended sanctions to the
6	court for its approval in lieu of	filing an affidavit of
7	violation with the court. For purp	
8	"technical violation" means an all	
9	that is not a new felony offense,	
10	criminal traffic offense.	
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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11	<u>(h)(g) The chief judge of each judicial circuit shall may</u>		
12	direct the department to use a notification letter of a		
13	technical violation in appropriate cases in lieu of a violation		
14	report, affidavit, and warrant or a notice to appear when the		
15	alleged violation is not a new felony or misdemeanor offense.		
16	Such direction must be in writing and must specify the types of		
17	specific technical violations which are to be reported by a		
18	notification letter of a technical violation, any exceptions to		
19	these violations, and the required process for submission. At		
20	the direction of the chief judge, the department shall send the		
21	notification letter of a technical violation to the court.		
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23	===== DIRECTORY CLAUSE AMENDMENT ======		
24	And the directory clause is amended as follows:		
25	Delete line 339		
26	and insert:		
27	present paragraphs (g) and (h) of that subsection are amended, a		
28	new		
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30	=========== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ===============		
31	And the title is amended as follows:		
32	Delete lines 66 - 69		
33	and insert:		
34	alternative sanctioning program; requiring the		
35	probation officer to take certain actions if such		
36	probationer or offer is eligible; defining the term		
37	"technical violation"; requiring, rather than		
38	authorizing, the chief judge of each judicial circuit		
39	to direct the department to use a notification letter		

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40 of a technical violation in certain situations; 41 requiring that judicial

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