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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate . Comm: RCS . 02/16/2021 . .

The Committee on Criminal Justice (Berman) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 97 and 98

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Section 3. Subsection (2) of section 877.19, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

877.19 Hate Crimes Reporting Act.-

(2) ACQUISITION AND PUBLICATION OF DATA.—The Governor, through the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, shall collect and disseminate data on incidents of criminal acts that evidence

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11 prejudice based on race, religion, ethnicity, color, ancestry, 12 sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, disability, or 13 national origin. All law enforcement agencies shall report 14 monthly to the Florida Department of Law Enforcement concerning 15 such offenses in such form and in such manner as prescribed by 16 rules adopted by the department. Such information shall be 17 compiled by the department and disseminated upon request to any 18 local law enforcement agency, unit of local government, or state 19 agency. 20 21 22 And the title is amended as follows: 23 Delete line 17 24 and insert: 25 any person; amending s. 877.19, F.S.; expanding the 26 data the Governor is required to collect and 27 disseminate on incidents of criminal acts that 28 evidence prejudice based on gender, gender identity, or disability; providing an effective date. 29