

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

House

Senator DiCeglie moved the following: Senate Amendment Delete lines 199 - 255 and insert: subsection (1) of section 316.066, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 316.066 Written reports of crashes; electronic submission.-(1) (a) <u>All traffic law enforcement agencies must provide</u> <u>uniform crash reports by electronic means to the department</u> <u>using a nonproprietary, interchangeable electronic form and</u> reporting method. For purposes of this section, the term

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12	"nonproprietary" means a commonly used and commercially
13	available report format and reporting method. Such crash reports
14	must be consistent with the state traffic crash manual rules and
15	the procedures established by the department and must be
16	appropriately numbered and inventoried. A Florida Traffic Crash
17	Report, Long Form must be completed and <u>electronically</u> submitted
18	to the department within 10 days after an investigation is
19	completed by the law enforcement officer who in the regular
20	course of duty investigates a motor vehicle crash that:
21	1. Resulted in death of, personal injury to, or any
22	indication of complaints of pain or discomfort by any of the
23	parties or passengers involved in the crash;
24	2. Involved a violation of s. 316.061(1) or s. 316.193;
25	3. Rendered a vehicle inoperable to a degree that required
26	a wrecker to remove it from the scene of the crash; or
27	4. Involved a commercial motor vehicle.
28	Section 4. Paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section
29	316.066, Florida Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter
30	2022-198, Laws of Florida, is amended to read:
31	316.066 Written reports of crashes
32	(2)
33	(b) Crash reports held by an agency under paragraph (a) may
34	be made immediately available to the parties involved in the
35	crash, their legal representatives, their licensed insurance
36	agents, their insurers or insurers to which they have applied
37	for coverage, persons under contract with such insurers to
38	provide claims or underwriting information, law enforcement
39	agencies and their contracted service providers, victim services
40	programs, and any federal, state, or local governmental agency

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or any private person or entity acting on behalf of a federal, 41 42 state, or local governmental agency in carrying out its 43 functions, but not for redistribution to any person or entity 44 not listed in this subsection. Crash reports held by an agency 45 under paragraph (a) which do not contain the home or employment street addresses, driver license or identification card numbers, 46 47 dates of birth, and home and employment telephone numbers of the parties involved in the crash shall be made immediately 48 49 available to radio and television stations licensed by the 50 Federal Communications Commission and newspapers qualified to 51 publish legal notices under ss. 50.011 and 50.031. A crash 52 report may also be made available to any third party acting on 53 behalf of a person or entity authorized under this section to 54 access the crash report, except that the third party may 55 disclose the crash report only to the person or entity 56 authorized to access the crash report under this section on 57 whose behalf the third party has sought the report. This section 58 shall not prevent an agency, pursuant to a memorandum of 59 understanding, from providing data derived from crash reports to 60 a third party solely for the purpose of identifying vehicles involved in crashes if such data does not reveal the identity, 61 62 home or employment telephone number or home or employment 63 address, or other personal information of the parties involved in the crash. 64