

**Department of Planning and Budget
2004 Fiscal Impact Statement**

1. Bill Number HB214

House of Origin ☐ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☒ Enrolled

2. Patron Athey

3. Committee Passed Both Houses

4. Title Amber alert system; use.

5. Summary/Purpose: Clarifies that the initial decision to make a local or regional Amber Alert is at the discretion of the local or regional law-enforcement officials, but the local or regional law-enforcement officials must provide information regarding the abducted child to the State Police prior to issuing the alert. The initial decision to make a statewide Amber Alert is at the discretion of the State Police.

6. No Fiscal Impact: FINAL.

7. Budget amendment necessary: No.

8. Fiscal implications: None.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: Department of State Police, local and regional law enforcement.

10. Technical amendment necessary: No.

11. Other comments: None.

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cc: Secretary of Public Safety