

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 114 (HB 64)

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Muscarello

Existing law (C.Cr.P. Art. 202) provides for the issuance of warrants of arrest.

New law permits a magistrate to recall a warrant of arrest that he has previously issued.

New law requires a magistrate who recalls a warrant of arrest pursuant to new law to immediately provide written notice to the office of the district attorney and the law enforcement agency that is responsible for execution of the warrant.

Existing law (C.Cr.P. Art. 205) provides that a warrant of arrest remains in effect until executed.

New law provides alternatively that a warrant of arrest remains in effect until recalled.

Effective August 1, 2026.

(Amends C.Cr.P. Art. 205; Adds C.Cr.P. Art. 202(H))