SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 294 By Senator Morrell

KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

LAW ENFORCEMENT. Provides relative to rights of law enforcement officers while under investigation. (8/1/14)

SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL

1. Restores provision that the complaint procedure does not limit any investigation of alleged criminal activity.

DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

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<u>Present law</u> provides for minimum standards which apply while certain law enforcement officers and police employees are under administrative investigation.

<u>Present law</u> requires the superintendent of state police or the chief of police or his authorized representative to initiate an investigation when a formal and written complaint is made against any police employee or law enforcement officer.

<u>Proposed law</u> removes the requirement that the administrative complaint be in writing.

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(Amends R.S. 40:2531(B)(7))

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