

100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2017 and 2018 HB0319

by Rep. Scott Drury

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 5/31-4.6 new

Amends the Criminal Code of 2012. Creates the offense of making a false statement to a peace officer or criminal investigative officer. Provides that a person commits the offense if: (1) the person knowingly makes a false statement to a peace officer or criminal investigative officer of the State or a unit of local government regarding a criminal matter that the person knows to be under investigation by the officer; and (2) during the interview, the person is first informed by a prosecutor who is working with the officer on the investigation that a knowing false statement to the officer relating to the investigation would constitute a criminal offense. Provides that a violation is a Class 4 felony.

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1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Criminal Code of 2012 is amended by adding Section 31-4.6 as follows:
- 6 (720 ILCS 5/31-4.6 new)
- Sec. 31-4.6. Making a false statement to a peace officer or criminal investigative officer.
- 9 <u>(a) A person commits making a false statement to a peace</u>
 10 officer or criminal investigative officer if:
- 11 (1) the person knowingly makes a false statement to a

 12 peace officer or criminal investigative officer of this

 13 State or a unit of local government regarding a criminal

 14 matter that the person knows to be under investigation by

 15 the officer; and
 - (2) during the interview, the person is first informed by a prosecutor who is working with the officer on the investigation that a knowing false statement to the officer relating to the investigation would constitute a criminal offense.
- 21 <u>(b) Sentence. Making a false statement to a peace officer</u>
 22 or criminal investigative officer is a Class 4 felony.