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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2271

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend Senate Bill 2271 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the  
5 Racial and Ethnic Impact Research Task Force Act.

6 Section 5. Purpose. The purpose of this Act is to determine  
7 a practical method for the standardized collection and analysis  
8 of data on the racial and ethnic identity of arrestees by State  
9 and local law enforcement agencies. The method shall be usable  
10 not only for the collection and analysis of data on the racial  
11 and ethnic identity of arrestees under current law, but also in  
12 predicting the likely racial and ethnic identity of arrestees  
13 under proposed changes to the Criminal Code of 1961, the Code  
14 of Criminal Procedure of 1963, and the Unified Code of  
15 Corrections.

1           Section 10. Racial and Ethnic Impact Research Task Force.  
2           There is created the Racial and Ethnic Impact Research Task  
3           Force, composed of the following members:

4           (1) Two members of the Senate appointed by the Senate  
5           President, one of whom the President shall designate to  
6           serve as co-chair, and 2 members of the Senate appointed by  
7           the Minority Leader of the Senate.

8           (2) Two members of the House of Representatives  
9           appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
10          one of whom the Speaker shall designate to serve as  
11          co-chair, and 2 members of the House of Representatives  
12          appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of  
13          Representatives.

14          (3) The following persons or their designees:

15               (A) the Attorney General,

16               (B) the Chief Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook  
17          County,

18               (C) the Director of State Police,

19               (D) the Superintendent of the Chicago Police  
20          Department,

21               (E) the Sheriff of Cook County,

22               (F) the State Appellate Defender,

23               (G) the Cook County Public Defender,

24               (H) the Director of the Office of the State's  
25          Attorneys Appellate Prosecutor,

26               (I) the Cook County State's Attorney,

1           (J) the Executive Director of the Illinois  
2 Criminal Justice Information Authority,  
3           (K) the Director of Corrections,  
4           (L) the Director of Juvenile Justice, and  
5           (M) the Executive Director of the Illinois  
6 African-American Family Commission.

7           (4) The co-chairs may name up to 8 persons,  
8 representing minority communities within Illinois, groups  
9 involved in the improvement of the administration of  
10 justice, behavioral health, criminal justice, law  
11 enforcement, and the rehabilitation of former inmates,  
12 community groups, and other interested parties.

13           Section 15. Compensation; support. The members of the Task  
14 Force shall serve without compensation, but may be reimbursed  
15 for reasonable expenses incurred as a result of their duties as  
16 members of the Task Force from funds appropriated by the  
17 General Assembly for that purpose. The Center for Excellence in  
18 Criminal Justice at the Great Lakes Addiction Technology  
19 Transfer Center at Jane Addams College of Social Work at the  
20 University of Illinois at Chicago shall provide staff and  
21 administrative support services to the Task Force.

22           Section 20. Meetings; report. The Task Force shall hold  
23 one or more public hearings, at which public testimony shall be  
24 heard. The Task Force shall report its findings and

1 recommendations to the General Assembly on or before July 1,  
2 2012. The recommendations shall include, but are not limited  
3 to:

4 (1) identifying a practical method for the  
5 standardized collection and analysis of data on the racial  
6 and ethnic identity of arrestees by State and local law  
7 enforcement agencies; and

8 (2) providing proposed legislation, drafted with the  
9 assistance of the Legislative Reference Bureau, and using  
10 the identified practical method for the standardized  
11 collection and analysis of data on the racial and ethnic  
12 identity of arrestees by State and local law enforcement  
13 agencies, to create a Racial and Ethnic Impact Statement  
14 providing an analysis of the likely racial and ethnic  
15 identity of arrestees under proposed changes to the  
16 Criminal Code of 1961, the Code of Criminal Procedure of  
17 1963, and the Unified Code of Corrections.

18 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
19 becoming law."