SB 731 -1 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Judiciary and Ballot Measure 110 Implementation

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Clarifies that the laws governing a tribal police officer's eligibility to act as an authorized tribal police officer do not regulate the conduct or activities of tribal police officers or tribal governments occurring in Indian Country or on the land of a tribal government or outside of Indian Country or the land of a tribal government but within a tribe's civil or criminal jurisdiction. Repeals law enforcement unit compliance requirements relating to the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training for tribal law enforcement agencies.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

-1 Replaces the measure. Repeals general law enforcement unit compliance requirements relating to the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training (DPSST) rulemaking authority over tribal law enforcement agencies but requires the tribe to follow the DPPST regulations related to disclosure of information about public safety officer and regulations related to tribal police. When an authorized tribal officer separates from tribal government employment, requires the tribe to notify DPSST of the dates of hire and separation and the reason for separation of employment. States that measure does not regulate the activities of tribal police officers or tribal government occurring in Indian country or on the land of a tribal government, or outside Indian country or the land of a tribal government but within a tribe's civil or criminal jurisdiction.

BACKGROUND: