

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 707

January Session, 2019



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by: SEN. WINFIELD, 10th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING TRAFFIC STOP REPORTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 54-1m of the general statutes be amended to require a
- 2 police officer to fill out each traffic stop report in duplicate so the
- 3 motorist may immediately receive a copy of such form from the officer,
- 4 to provide that, if the report is entered into an electronic data collection
- 5 system, a copy shall be available immediately to the motorist and to
- 6 prohibit police officers from inquiring about a person's immigration
- 7 status as part of a traffic stop.

Statement of Purpose:

To require police officers to provide motorists with a copy of a traffic stop report immediately upon completion or entry of the report and to prohibit police officers from inquiring about a person's immigration status as part of a traffic stop.

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