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CRIME STATISTICS REPORTING AMENDMENTS

2018 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Don L. Ipson

House Sponsor: Lee B. Perry

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill modifies provisions related to reporting criminal activity to the Bureau of Criminal Identification.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ prohibits the Bureau of Criminal Identification from acquiring certain information;
- ▶ requires a law enforcement agency to:
 - report certain information to the Bureau of Criminal Identification within a specified time frame;
 - submit that information in a specified manner; and
 - review and verify that information upon request of the Bureau of Criminal Identification; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

53-10-205, as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 1998, Chapter 263



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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **53-10-205** is amended to read:

53-10-205. Uniform crime reporting system -- Reporting timelines and use of data.

(1) The data acquired under the statewide uniform crime reporting system shall be used only for research or statistical purposes and may not contain any information that may reveal the identity of an individual victim of a crime or law enforcement officer.

(2) A law enforcement agency shall, for the jurisdiction of the law enforcement agency, submit crime reporting data required for the statewide uniform crime reporting system described in Section [53-10-202](#):

(a) to the bureau before the 16th day of the month after the month in which a reported crime occurs; and

(b) in a manner prescribed by the bureau and in compliance with the requirements of the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Uniform Crime Reporting standards.

(3) Upon request of the bureau, a law enforcement agency shall review and verify crime reporting data within 10 business days after the day on which the law enforcement agency receives the request.

Legislative Review Note
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