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Rep. Grad

I have reviewed the amendment to H.25 proposed by the Network on Feb. 2.

Sec. 3 provides clarity on the concept of no cost for forensic exams and toxicology testing referred in Sec.1 , it reflects the current practice of the Center for Crime Victims. The center reports there will be no added cost to their current programs as a result.

I spoke with Mark Metayer and the other rights listed in the bill are consistent with current practice. There may be some minimal impact to some police departments to overnight ship kits to the state forensic lab.

If needed I can provide a formal fiscal note.

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