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MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 578 be amended to read as follows:

- 1 Page 2, line 13, after "**officer**" insert "**that has served as a county**
- 2 **police officer for at least five years**".
- 3 Page 2, line 16, after "**board.**" insert "**Any temporary**
- 4 **administrative rank or position established pursuant to this section**
- 5 **shall not diminish or reduce the number and classifications of the**
- 6 **existing merit ranks within the county police department.**".
- 7 Page 2, after line 29, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 8 SECTION 2. IC 36-8-10-11.1 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
- 9 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 10 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: **Sec. 11.1. (a) As used in this section,**
- 11 **"appointing authority" means the sheriff and the board.**
- 12 **(b) If it is necessary for the appointing authority to reduce the**
- 13 **number of members of the department by layoff for financial**
- 14 **reasons, the last member appointed to the department must be the**
- 15 **first to be laid off. Additional members must be laid off in reverse**
- 16 **hiring order until the desired level of employment is achieved.**
- 17 **(c) If department membership is increased, the members of the**
- 18 **department who have been laid off under this section must be**
- 19 **reinstated before any new member is appointed to the department.**
- 20 **The last member to be laid off from the department must be the**
- 21 **first to be reinstated. Additional members must be reinstated in**
- 22 **reverse of the order in which the members were laid off.**
- 23 **(d) A member who is laid off shall keep the appointing**
- 24 **authority advised of the member's current address. The appointing**
- 25 **authority shall inform a member of the member's reinstatement by**
- 26 **written notice sent by certified mail to the member's last known**
- 27 **address.**

- 1 (e) Not later than twenty (20) calendar days after the date
2 notice of reinstatement is sent under subsection (d), the member
3 must advise the appointing authority whether the member:
4 (1) accepts reinstatement; and
5 (2) will be able to commence employment on the date
6 specified in the notice.
7 (f) All reinstatement rights granted to a member under this
8 section terminate on the earlier of:
9 (1) the date the member fails to accept reinstatement within
10 the time specified in subsection (e); or
11 (2) three (3) years after the date on which a member's layoff
12 begins."

(Reference is to ESB 578 as printed April 6, 1999.)

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