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SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 209, L.D. 774, Bill, "An Act to Require the Destruction of Confiscated and Forfeited Handguns"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act to Require the Destruction of Certain Confiscated and Forfeited Handguns'

Further amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 7 in the 4th line (page 1, line 9 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "handgun" the following: 'that was confiscated or forfeited because it was used to commit a homicide'

Further amend the bill in section 2 in subsection 3-A in the last blocked paragraph in the first line (page 1, line 45 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "handgun" the following: 'that was confiscated or forfeited because it was used to commit a homicide'

Further amend the bill in section 2 in subsection 3-A in the last blocked paragraph in the 3rd line (page 1, line 47 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "revolve" and inserting in its place the following: 'revolver'

Further amend the bill in section 3 in the first paragraph in the first line (page 2, line 4 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "handgun" the following: 'that was confiscated or forfeited because it was used to commit a homicide'

SENATE AMENDMENT

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FISCAL NOTE

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The requirement that certain confiscated handguns be destroyed by the State will result in insignificant reductions of General Fund revenue from the sale of confiscated handguns through public auctions.

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The Bureau of State Police will incur some minor additional costs to destroy certain confiscated handguns. These costs can be absorbed within the bureau's existing budgeted resources.

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SUMMARY

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This amendment narrows the scope of the bill by limiting its application to handguns that were confiscated or forfeited because they were used in the commission of a homicide. It also corrects a clerical error.

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