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Vote Explanation HB 4207

I voted for HB 4207 because it will require a hiring law enforcement agency to check discipline records of any applicant who has previously worked as a police officer prior to the new agency hiring them. It also provides the previous employer with liability protection for allowing the hiring agency access to the personnel files.

The bill also directs the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training to establish public statewide online database of suspensions and revocations of certifications of police officers.

HB 4207 is one of five police accountability measures brought forward by the Legislative People of Color Caucus (POC). According to members of POC, they want to bring forward legislation to address issues many people of color have faced with law enforcement officers.

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