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The Honorable Daniel Perez
The Florida House of Representatives
417 House Office Building
402 South Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1300

Dear Chair Perez:

The Florida Sheriffs Association supports PCB JDC 21-01 – Law Enforcement and Correctional Officer Practices.

Sheriffs remain steadfast in their support to make continual improvements to their public safety profession and this bill achieves that goal by making sound changes to the requirements for the operations and standards for all law enforcement agencies in Florida.

Florida is currently celebrating the 200th anniversary of the Office of Sheriff. Over those two centuries a lot has changed in our state, but what has remained true over time is the fact that sheriffs have continually supported the types of transparency and accountability measures outlined in PCB JDC 21-01.

The Florida Sheriffs Association looks forward to working with you and members of both chambers this session on the successful passage of this bill.

Sincerely,

Sheriff Bobby Schultz
President, Florida Sheriffs Association
Gilchrist County Sheriff's Office

Sheriff Bob Gualtieri
Legislative Chair, Florida Sheriffs Association
Pinellas County Sheriff's Office

cc: Senator Wilton Simpson, Senate President
Representative Chris Sprowls, Speaker of the Florida House of Representatives
Members of the Florida House Judiciary Committee