



103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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SB1753

Introduced 2/9/2023, by Sen. Michael E. Hastings

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/4-110 new
625 ILCS 5/4-111 new

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that in a county having a population of 3,000,000 or more, the county sheriff shall establish with other law enforcement agencies a vehicle theft hotline to facilitate the location of stolen vehicles via their installed existing global positioning systems, collaborate with vehicle manufacturers and dealers to provide information and assistance to law enforcement officers in the investigation of vehicle theft, and ensure that consumers are provided with information concerning the hotline and any new or used vehicle manufactured with a global positioning system by publishing the information in a conspicuous location on the county sheriff's website. Provides that the manufacturer of any vehicle sold in this State shall establish a hotline available to State, county, and local law enforcement agencies exclusively for the purposes of law enforcement information sharing and the electronic tracking of vehicles stolen in vehicular hijacking incidents or that have been used in the commission of kidnapping, aggravated battery with a firearm, attempted homicide, or homicide. Provides that the manufacturer's hotline shall relay vehicle location information, including real-time vehicle location information whenever possible, to the 9-1-1 call center or designated dispatch center for the responding agency, to the best of the manufacturer's technical capability. Requires State, county, and local law enforcement agencies to use their respective 9-1-1 system call centers or designated dispatch centers for the purpose of verification of law enforcement officers' identities and bona fide incident report numbers related to incidents. Requires manufacturers to prepare written statements detailing tracking and disabling system capabilities and make them available to State, county, and local law enforcement agencies upon request. Requires that, if a vehicle is not subscribed to the manufacturer's tracking service, the manufacturer of any vehicle sold in this State shall waive all fees associated with initiating, renewing, reestablishing, or maintaining the location, disabling, or alert service with which the vehicle is equipped during a law enforcement response or investigation of specified offenses.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by adding
5 Sections 4-110 and 4-111 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/4-110 new)

7 Sec. 4-110. Stolen vehicle recovery hotline. In a county
8 having a population of 3,000,000 or more, the county sheriff
9 shall establish with other law enforcement agencies a vehicle
10 theft hotline to facilitate the location of stolen vehicles
11 via their installed existing global positioning systems. The
12 county sheriff shall collaborate with vehicle manufacturers
13 and dealers to provide information and assistance to law
14 enforcement officers in the investigation of vehicle theft and
15 ensure that consumers are provided with information concerning
16 the hotline and any new or used vehicle manufactured with a
17 global positioning system by publishing the information in a
18 conspicuous location on the county sheriff's website.

19 (625 ILCS 5/4-111 new)

20 Sec. 4-111. Manufacturer's vehicle incident hotline; law
21 enforcement verification; manufacturer statements.

22 (a) A manufacturer of any vehicle sold in this State shall

1 establish a hotline that is staffed 24 hours a day, 7 days a
2 week available to State, county, and local law enforcement
3 agencies and their respective 9-1-1 system call centers or
4 designated dispatch centers exclusively for the purposes of
5 law enforcement information sharing and the electronic
6 tracking of vehicles stolen in vehicular hijacking incidents
7 or that have been used in the commission of kidnapping,
8 aggravated battery with a firearm, attempted homicide, or
9 homicide. The manufacturer's hotline shall relay vehicle
10 location information, including real-time vehicle location
11 information whenever possible, to the 9-1-1 call center or
12 designated dispatch center for the responding agency, to the
13 best of the manufacturer's technical capability.

14 (b) State, county, and local law enforcement agencies
15 shall use their respective 9-1-1 system call centers or
16 designated dispatch centers for the purpose of verification of
17 law enforcement officers' identities and bona fide incident
18 report numbers related to incidents.

19 (c) By January 1 of each year, a manufacturer of any
20 vehicle sold in this State shall prepare an annual written
21 statement detailing the manufacturer's tracking and disabling
22 system capabilities, including, but not limited to, real-time
23 turn-by-turn, interval pinging, slow down, engine cutoff, and
24 alarm or light activation, per model, trim, and year. The
25 manufacturer shall make the annual written statement available
26 to State, county, and local law enforcement agencies upon

1 request. A manufacturer shall provide its annual written
2 statement to the requesting law enforcement agency within 30
3 days after the request.

4 (d) If a vehicle is not subscribed to the manufacturer's
5 tracking service, the manufacturer of any vehicle sold in this
6 State shall waive all fees associated with initiating,
7 renewing, reestablishing, or maintaining the location,
8 disabling, or alert service with which the vehicle is equipped
9 during a law enforcement response or investigation of the
10 specified offenses in subsection (a).