STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS19569

This bill amends current code descriptions that involve bomb threats and other such acts to include "Hoax Destructive Devices" as well. It defines that persons selling, giving, mailing or using such devices with the intent of causing fear of serious bodily injury or death be guilty of a felony punishable by a term of imprisonment not to exceed five years.

It further defines that persons who use a "Hoax Destructive Device" in the commission or attempted commission of a felony be guilty of a felony punishable by a term of imprisonment not to exceed 15 years and a fine of up to \$15,000.

FISCAL NOTE

No fiscal impact above required code documentation.

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