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This bill establishes the crime of fleeing from a peace officer in a manner other than in a motor vehicle. It applies if a person attempts to evade or elude a peace officer to avoid arrest, detention, investigation, or to conceal or destroy potential evidence related to a crime. It includes running, hiding, or other means of eluding capture. The penalty is a misdemeanor.