

Subject Vehicle crash reporting

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Overview

This bill amends requirements related to reporting following a vehicle crash or collision.

Summary

Section	Description
1	Notify owner of damaged property. Directs the operator of a vehicle involved in collision that only results in property damage to report it to a peace officer (which is in addition to currently required reporting to the property owner and making an accident report).
2	Officer to report accident to commissioner. Specifies the situations in which reporting on a collision is required, including to identify criteria for location, a fatality or injury, and extent of damage.
3	Suspension of license for failure to report accident. Limits Department of Public Safety authority to suspend a driver's license or person's operating privilege for failure to report on a traffic accident, so that it applies to a driver instead of individuals generally.
4	Terminology. Amends a definition and defines "disabling damage" in the section of statutes on crash reporting.