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Topic:

Prohibition on chokeholds and strangleholds by law enforcement except in self-defense

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PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION

1	AN ACT to renumber and amend 66.0511 (1); to amend 66.0511 (2); and to
2	create 66.0511 (1) (a) of the statutes; relating to: prohibiting use of choke
3	holds by law enforcement officers in use of force policies.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

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SECTION 4. Effective date.

(1) Use of choke holds. The renumbering and amendment of s. 66.0511 (1), the amendment of s. 66.0511 (2), and the creation of s. 66.0511 (1) (a) take effect on the 30th day after publication.

16 (END)

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2021 SENATE BILL 121

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