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AMENDED, OCTOBER 6, 2014

AN ACT

1 ~~Amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and~~ <--
2 ~~Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated~~
3 ~~Statutes, defining the offense of online impersonation;~~
4 ~~prescribing a penalty; and providing for damages in actions~~
5 ~~for online impersonation.~~
6 AMENDING TITLES 42 (JUDICIARY AND JUDICIAL PROCEDURE) AND 44 <--
7 (LAW AND JUSTICE) OF THE PENNSYLVANIA CONSOLIDATED STATUTES,
8 IN SENTENCING, PROVIDING FOR SENTENCING FOR OFFENSES
9 INVOLVING ONLINE IMPERSONATION; AND, IN DNA DATA AND TESTING,
10 FURTHER PROVIDING FOR POLICY, FOR DEFINITIONS, FOR POWERS AND
11 DUTIES OF STATE POLICE, FOR STATE DNA DATA BASE, FOR STATE
12 DNA DATA BANK, FOR STATE POLICE RECOMMENDATION OF ADDITIONAL
13 OFFENSES, FOR PROCEDURAL COMPATIBILITY WITH FBI AND FOR DNA
14 SAMPLE REQUIRED UPON CONVICTION, DELINQUENCY ADJUDICATION AND
15 CERTAIN ARD CASES; PROVIDING FOR COLLECTION FROM PERSONS
16 ACCEPTED FROM OTHER JURISDICTIONS; FURTHER PROVIDING FOR
17 PROCEDURES FOR WITHDRAWAL, COLLECTION AND TRANSMISSION OF DNA
18 SAMPLES, FOR PROCEDURES FOR CONDUCT, DISPOSITION AND USE OF
19 DNA ANALYSIS; PROVIDING FOR REQUEST FOR MODIFIED DNA SEARCH;
20 AND FURTHER PROVIDING FOR DNA DATA BASE EXCHANGE, FOR
21 EXPUNGEMENT AND FOR MANDATORY COST.

22 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
23 hereby enacts as follows:

24 Section 1. Title ~~18~~ 42 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated <--

1 Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:

2 ~~§ 4121. Online impersonation.~~ <--

3 ~~(a) Offense defined. A person commits the offense of online~~
4 ~~impersonation if the person:~~

5 ~~(1) uses the name, persona or identifying information of~~
6 ~~another person or of a fictitious person to do any of the~~
7 ~~following:~~

8 ~~(i) create a web page;~~

9 ~~(ii) post one or more messages on a commercial~~
10 ~~social networking site;~~

11 ~~(iii) send an electronic mail, instant message, text~~
12 ~~message or similar communication;~~

13 ~~(iv) open an e-mail account; or~~

14 ~~(v) open an account or profile on a commercial~~
15 ~~social networking site; and~~

16 ~~(2) the person engages in activity prohibited under any~~ <--
17 ~~of the following:~~

18 ~~(i) Section 2706 (relating to terroristic threats);~~

19 ~~(ii) Section 2709 (relating to harassment);~~

20 ~~(iii) Section 2709.1 (relating to stalking);~~

21 ~~(iv) Section 4952 (relating to intimidation of~~
22 ~~witnesses or victims);~~

23 ~~(v) Section 4953 (relating to retaliation against~~
24 ~~witness, victim or party).~~

25 ~~(b) Grading. A violation of subsection (a) shall be~~
26 ~~classified as a misdemeanor of the second degree or one degree~~
27 ~~higher in the classification specified in section 106 (relating~~
28 ~~to classes of offenses) than the classification of the~~
29 ~~underlying offense set forth in subsection (a)(2), whichever is~~
30 ~~greater. Each violation constitutes a separate offense.~~

1 ~~(c) Construction. Nothing in this section shall be~~
2 ~~construed to apply to works of public interest, including~~
3 ~~commentary, satire and parody.~~

4 ~~(d) Territorial applicability. A person may be convicted~~
5 ~~under the provisions of this section if the victim or the~~
6 ~~offender is located within this Commonwealth.~~

7 ~~(e) Concurrent jurisdiction to prosecute. In addition to~~
8 ~~the authority conferred upon the Attorney General by the act of~~
9 ~~October 15, 1980 (P.L.950, No.164), known as the Commonwealth~~
10 ~~Attorneys Act, the Attorney General shall have the authority to~~
11 ~~investigate and to institute criminal proceedings for any~~
12 ~~violation of this section or any series of violations involving~~
13 ~~more than one county of this Commonwealth or another state. No~~
14 ~~person charged with a violation of this section by the Attorney~~
15 ~~General shall have standing to challenge the authority of the~~
16 ~~Attorney General to investigate or prosecute the case, and if a~~
17 ~~challenge is made, the challenge shall be dismissed, and no~~
18 ~~relief shall be made available in the courts of this~~
19 ~~Commonwealth to the person making the challenge.~~

20 § 9720.7. SENTENCING FOR OFFENSES INVOLVING ONLINE

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21 IMPERSONATION.

22 (A) SENTENCE ENHANCEMENT.--THE PENNSYLVANIA COMMISSION ON
23 SENTENCING, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2154 (RELATING TO
24 ADOPTION OF GUIDELINES FOR SENTENCING), SHALL PROVIDE FOR A
25 SENTENCE ENHANCEMENT WITHIN ITS GUIDELINES FOR EACH OF THE
26 FOLLOWING OFFENSES, IF THE OFFENSE INVOLVED ONLINE
27 IMPERSONATION:

28 (1) 18 PA.C.S. § 2706 (RELATING TO TERRORISTIC THREATS).

29 (2) 18 PA.C.S. § 2709 (RELATING TO HARASSMENT).

30 (3) 18 PA.C.S. § 2709.1 (RELATING TO STALKING).

1 (4) 18 PA.C.S. § 4952 (RELATING TO INTIMIDATION OF
2 WITNESSES OR VICTIMS).

3 (5) 18 PA.C.S. § 4953 (RELATING TO RETALIATION AGAINST
4 WITNESS, VICTIM OR PARTY).

5 ~~(f)~~ (B) Definitions.--As used in this section, the following <--
6 words and phrases shall have the meanings given to them in this
7 subsection unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

8 "Commercial social networking site." A business,
9 organization or other similar entity that operates an Internet
10 website and permits persons to become registered users for the
11 purpose of establishing personal relationships with other users
12 through direct or real-time communication with other users or
13 the creation of web pages or profiles available to the public or
14 to other users. The term does not include an electronic mail
15 program or a message board program.

16 "Document." Any writing, including, but not limited to, a
17 birth certificate, Social Security card, driver's license,
18 nondriver government-issued identification card, baptismal
19 certificate, access device card, employee identification card,
20 school identification card or other identifying information
21 recorded by any other method, including, but not limited to,
22 information stored on a computer, computer disc, computer
23 printout, computer system, or part thereof, or by any other
24 mechanical or electronic means.

25 "Identifying information." Any document, photographic,
26 pictorial or computer image of another person or any fact used
27 to establish identity, including, but not limited to, a name, e- <--
28 mail ELECTRONIC MAIL address, birth date, Social Security <--
29 number, driver's license number, nondriver governmental
30 identification number, telephone number, checking account

1 number, savings account number, student identification number,
2 employee or payroll number or electronic signature. The term
3 includes a document, photographic, pictorial or computer image
4 of a fictitious person or any fact used to establish identity as
5 provided in this definition in the case of a fictitious person.

6 Section 2. Title 42 is amended by adding a section to read: <--
7 § 8316.1. Damages in actions for online impersonation.

8 (a) Cause of action established. A person may bring a civil
9 cause of action based upon online impersonation as defined in 18
10 Pa.C.S. § 4121 (relating to online impersonation) in order to
11 recover damages for any loss or injury sustained as a result of
12 the violation.

13 (b) Parties authorized to bring action. An action may be
14 brought by:

15 (1) A natural person.

16 (2) A parent or guardian of a natural person, if the
17 natural person is incompetent or is an individual under 18
18 years of age.

19 (3) A corporation, partnership, limited liability
20 company, business trust, other association, estate, trust or
21 foundation.

22 (c) Damages. A court of competent jurisdiction may award
23 damages as follows:

24 (1) Actual damages arising from the incident or \$500,
25 whichever is greater. Damages include loss of money,
26 reputation or property, whether real or personal. The court
27 may, in its discretion, award up to three times the actual
28 damages sustained, but not less than \$500.

29 (2) Reasonable attorney fees and court costs.

30 (3) Additional relief the court deems necessary and

1 ~~proper.~~

2 ~~(d) Other remedies preserved. Nothing in this section shall~~
3 ~~be construed to limit the ability of a person to receive~~
4 ~~restitution pursuant to 18 Pa.C.S. § 1106 (relating to~~
5 ~~restitution for injuries to person or property).~~

6 ~~(e) Nonapplicability. The provisions of this section shall~~
7 ~~not be applicable to:~~

8 ~~(1) A law enforcement officer acting in the course and~~
9 ~~legitimate scope of the law enforcement officer's duties.~~

10 ~~(2) A person who acts within the course and legitimate~~
11 ~~scope of the person's employment in order to obtain evidence~~
12 ~~of unlawful activity.~~

13 ~~Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.~~

14 "ONLINE IMPERSONATION." THE USE OF THE NAME, PERSONA OR <--
15 IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF ANOTHER PERSON OR OF A FICTITIOUS
16 PERSON TO DO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

17 (1) CREATE AN INTERNET WEBSITE.

18 (2) POST ONE OR MORE MESSAGES ON A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL
19 NETWORKING SITE.

20 (3) SEND AN ELECTRONIC MAIL, INSTANT MESSAGE, TEXT
21 MESSAGE OR SIMILAR COMMUNICATION.

22 (4) OPEN AN ELECTRONIC MAIL ACCOUNT.

23 (5) OPEN AN ACCOUNT OR PROFILE ON A COMMERCIAL
24 NETWORKING SITE.

25 THE TERM DOES NOT INCLUDE A WORK OF PUBLIC INTEREST, INCLUDING
26 COMMENTARY, SATIRE AND PARODY.

27 SECTION 1.1. SECTIONS 2302, 2303, 2311(2), 2312, 2313, 2314,
28 2315 AND 2316 OF TITLE 44 ARE AMENDED TO READ:

29 § 2302. POLICY.

30 THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS AND DECLARES THAT:

1 (1) DNA DATA BANKS ARE AN IMPORTANT TOOL IN CRIMINAL
2 INVESTIGATIONS, IN [THE EXCLUSION OF] EXCLUDING INNOCENT
3 INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE THE SUBJECT OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS OR
4 PROSECUTIONS AND IN [DETECTING AND DETERRING RECIDIVIST ACTS]
5 DETECTING AND DETERRING REPEATED CRIMES BY THE SAME
6 INDIVIDUAL.

7 (2) SEVERAL STATES HAVE ENACTED LAWS REQUIRING PERSONS
8 ARRESTED, CHARGED OR CONVICTED OF CERTAIN CRIMES, ESPECIALLY
9 SEX OFFENSES, TO PROVIDE GENETIC SAMPLES FOR DNA PROFILING.

10 (2.1) SEVERAL STATES HAVE AUTHORIZED THE DISCLOSURE OF
11 DNA PROFILES IN THEIR STATE'S DNA DATA BASE WHERE COMPARISON
12 OF DNA LINKED TO A CRIME WITH THE KNOWN OFFENDER DNA PROFILE
13 IN THE DATA BASE ESTABLISHES THE LIKELIHOOD OF A CLOSE
14 FAMILIAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE TWO.

15 (3) MOREOVER, IT IS THE POLICY OF THE COMMONWEALTH TO
16 ASSIST FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND LAW
17 ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN THE IDENTIFICATION AND DETECTION OF
18 INDIVIDUALS IN CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS.

19 (4) IT IS THEREFORE IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE
20 COMMONWEALTH TO ESTABLISH A DNA DATA BASE AND A DNA DATA BANK
21 CONTAINING DNA SAMPLES SUBMITTED BY INDIVIDUALS ARRESTED FOR,
22 CHARGED WITH, CONVICTED OF, ADJUDICATED DELINQUENT FOR OR
23 ACCEPTED INTO ARD FOR CRIMINAL HOMICIDES, FELONY SEX OFFENSES
24 AND OTHER SPECIFIED OFFENSES.

25 (5) IT IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE COMMONWEALTH TO
26 AUTHORIZE THE STATE POLICE TO USE DNA ANALYSIS AND TO
27 IDENTIFY THESE INDIVIDUALS TO A CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCY IN
28 CERTAIN CASES.

29 § 2303. DEFINITIONS.

30 THE FOLLOWING WORDS AND PHRASES WHEN USED IN THIS CHAPTER

1 SHALL HAVE THE MEANINGS GIVEN TO THEM IN THIS SECTION UNLESS THE
2 CONTEXT CLEARLY INDICATES OTHERWISE:

3 "ACCREDITED FORENSIC DNA LABORATORY." A FORENSIC DNA
4 LABORATORY THAT HAS RECEIVED ACCREDITATION BY AN ACCREDITING
5 BODY NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED WITHIN THE FORENSIC SCIENCE COMMUNITY
6 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FBI QUALITY ASSURANCE STANDARDS TO
7 PERFORM FORENSIC DNA TESTING AND IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH FBI
8 QUALITY ASSURANCE STANDARDS.

9 "ARD." ACCELERATED REHABILITATIVE DISPOSITION.

10 "ARREST." THE TAKING OR KEEPING OF A PERSON IN CUSTODY BY
11 LEGAL AUTHORITY OR PROCEEDINGS COMMENCED BY A POLICE COMPLAINT
12 THAT IS PROCEEDED AGAINST BY SUMMONS OR BY A PETITION FILED
13 PURSUANT TO 42 PA.C.S. § 6321(A)(3) (RELATING TO COMMENCEMENT OF
14 PROCEEDINGS).

15 "CODIS." THE [TERM IS DERIVED FROM] COMBINED DNA INDEX
16 SYSTEM[, THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION'S NATIONAL DNA
17 IDENTIFICATION INDEX SYSTEM THAT ALLOWS THE STORAGE AND EXCHANGE
18 OF DNA RECORDS SUBMITTED BY STATE AND LOCAL FORENSIC DNA
19 LABORATORIES] ESTABLISHED AND MAINTAINED BY THE FEDERAL BUREAU
20 OF INVESTIGATION.

21 "COMMISSIONER." THE COMMISSIONER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE
22 POLICE.

23 "CRIME SCENE DNA PROFILE." A DNA PROFILE DERIVED FROM A DNA
24 SAMPLE RECOVERED FROM A VICTIM, CRIME SCENE OR ITEM LINKED TO A
25 CRIME, WHICH MAY HAVE ORIGINATED FROM A PERPETRATOR.

26 "CRIMINAL HOMICIDE." ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

27 (1) 18 PA.C.S. § 2501 (RELATING TO CRIMINAL HOMICIDE).

28 (2) 18 PA.C.S. § 2502 (RELATING TO MURDER).

29 (3) 18 PA.C.S. § 2503 (RELATING TO VOLUNTARY
30 MANSLAUGHTER).

1 (4) 18 PA.C.S. § 2504 (RELATING TO INVOLUNTARY
2 MANSLAUGHTER), WHEN THE OFFENSE IS GRADED AS A FELONY.

3 (5) 18 PA.C.S. § 2505 (RELATING TO CAUSING OR AIDING
4 SUICIDE), WHEN THE OFFENSE IS GRADED AS A FELONY.

5 (6) 18 PA.C.S. § 2506 (RELATING TO DRUG DELIVERY
6 RESULTING IN DEATH).

7 (7) 18 PA.C.S. § 2507 (RELATING TO CRIMINAL HOMICIDE OF
8 LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER).

9 (8) 18 PA.C.S. § 2603 (RELATING TO CRIMINAL HOMICIDE OF
10 UNBORN CHILD).

11 (9) 18 PA.C.S. § 2604 (RELATING TO MURDER OF UNBORN
12 CHILD).

13 (10) 18 PA.C.S. § 2605 (RELATING TO VOLUNTARY
14 MANSLAUGHTER OF UNBORN CHILD).

15 "CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCY." A CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCY AS
16 DEFINED IN 18 PA.C.S. § 9102 (RELATING TO DEFINITIONS).

17 "DNA." DEOXYRIBONUCLEIC ACID[. DNA IS LOCATED IN THE CELLS
18 AND PROVIDES AN INDIVIDUAL'S PERSONAL GENETIC BLUEPRINT. DNA]
19 LOCATED IN THE CHROMOSOMES OR MITOCHONDRIA OF A LIVING
20 ORGANISM'S CELLS WHICH ENCODES GENETIC INFORMATION THAT IS THE
21 BASIS OF HUMAN HEREDITY AND FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION.

22 "DNA RECORD." DNA PROFILE AND IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION
23 STORED IN THE STATE DNA DATA BASE OR THE COMBINED DNA INDEX
24 SYSTEM FOR THE PURPOSE OF GENERATING INVESTIGATIVE LEADS OR
25 SUPPORTING STATISTICAL INTERPRETATION OF DNA TEST RESULTS. THE
26 TERM INCLUDES NUCLEAR AND MITOCHONDRIAL TYPING. THE DNA RECORD
27 IS THE RESULT OBTAINED FROM THE DNA TYPING TESTS. [THE DNA
28 RECORD IS COMPRISED OF THE CHARACTERISTICS OF A DNA SAMPLE WHICH
29 ARE OF VALUE IN ESTABLISHING THE IDENTITY OF INDIVIDUALS. THE
30 RESULTS OF ALL DNA IDENTIFICATION TESTS ON AN INDIVIDUAL'S DNA

1 SAMPLE ARE ALSO COLLECTIVELY REFERRED TO AS THE DNA PROFILE OF
2 AN INDIVIDUAL.]

3 "DNA SAMPLE." [A BLOOD OR TISSUE SAMPLE PROVIDED BY ANY
4 PERSON WITH RESPECT TO OFFENSES COVERED BY THIS CHAPTER OR
5 SUBMITTED TO THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE LABORATORY PURSUANT
6 TO THE FORMER ACT OF MAY 28, 1995 (1ST SP.SESS., P.L.1009,
7 NO.14), KNOWN AS THE DNA DETECTION OF SEXUAL AND VIOLENT
8 OFFENDERS ACT, TO THE FORMER 42 PA.C.S. CH. 47 (RELATING TO DNA
9 DATA AND TESTING) OR TO THIS CHAPTER FOR ANALYSIS OR STORAGE, OR
10 BOTH.] A SAMPLE OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL SUITABLE FOR DNA
11 ANALYSIS.

12 "FBI." THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION.

13 "FELONY SEX OFFENSE." A FELONY OFFENSE OR AN ATTEMPT,
14 CONSPIRACY OR SOLICITATION TO COMMIT A FELONY OFFENSE UNDER ANY
15 OF THE FOLLOWING:

16 18 PA.C.S. CH. 31 (RELATING TO SEXUAL OFFENSES).

17 18 PA.C.S. § 3130 (RELATING TO CONDUCT RELATING TO SEX
18 OFFENDERS).

19 18 PA.C.S. § 4302 (RELATING TO INCEST).

20 18 PA.C.S. § [5902(C)(1)(III) AND (IV)] 5902(C)(1)(IV)
21 (RELATING TO PROSTITUTION AND RELATED OFFENSES).

22 18 PA.C.S. § 5903(A) (RELATING TO OBSCENE AND OTHER
23 SEXUAL MATERIALS AND PERFORMANCES) WHERE THE OFFENSE
24 CONSTITUTES A FELONY.

25 [18 PA.C.S. § 6312 (RELATING TO SEXUAL ABUSE OF
26 CHILDREN).

27 18 PA.C.S. § 6318 (RELATING TO UNLAWFUL CONTACT WITH
28 MINOR) WHERE THE MOST SERIOUS UNDERLYING OFFENSE FOR WHICH
29 THE DEFENDANT CONTACTED THE MINOR IS GRADED AS A FELONY.

30 18 PA.C.S. § 6320 (RELATING TO SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF

1 CHILDREN).]

2 ANY OFFENSE GRADED AS A FELONY REQUIRING REGISTRATION
3 UNDER 42 PA.C.S. CH. 97 SUBCH. H (RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF
4 SEXUAL OFFENDERS).

5 "FORENSIC DNA LABORATORY." A LABORATORY THAT PERFORMS
6 FORENSIC DNA TESTING FOR THE PURPOSES OF IDENTIFICATION.

7 "FORENSIC DNA TESTING." A TEST THAT APPLIES TECHNIQUES FROM
8 MOLECULAR BIOLOGY TO ANALYZE DEOXYRIBONUCLEIC ACID (DNA) TO
9 IDENTIFY CHARACTERISTICS UNIQUE TO A PARTICULAR INDIVIDUAL.

10 "FORMER DNA ACT." THE FORMER ACT OF MAY 28, 1995 (1ST
11 SP.SESS., P.L.1009, NO.14), KNOWN AS THE DNA DETECTION OF SEXUAL
12 AND VIOLENT OFFENDERS ACT.

13 "FUND." THE DNA DETECTION FUND REESTABLISHED IN SECTION 2335
14 (RELATING TO DNA DETECTION FUND).

15 "HUMAN BEHAVIORAL GENETIC RESEARCH." THE STUDY OF THE
16 POSSIBLE GENETIC UNDERPINNINGS OF BEHAVIORS, INCLUDING, BUT NOT
17 LIMITED TO, AGGRESSION, SUBSTANCE ABUSE, SOCIAL ATTITUDES,
18 MENTAL ABILITIES, SEXUAL ACTIVITY AND EATING HABITS.

19 "LAW ENFORCEMENT IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES." ASSISTING IN THE
20 DETERMINATION OF THE IDENTITY OF AN INDIVIDUAL WHOSE DNA IS
21 CONTAINED IN A BIOLOGICAL SAMPLE.

22 "MITOCHONDRIAL DNA ANALYSIS." A METHOD THAT APPLIES
23 TECHNIQUES FROM MOLECULAR BIOLOGY TO ANALYZE DNA FOUND IN THE
24 MITOCHONDRIA OF CELLS.

25 "MODIFIED DNA SEARCH." A SEARCH OF THE STATE DNA DATA BASE,
26 USING SCIENTIFICALLY VALID AND RELIABLE METHODS IN ACCORDANCE
27 WITH RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES PROMULGATED UNDER SECTION
28 2318 (RELATING TO PROCEDURES FOR CONDUCT, DISPOSITION AND USE OF
29 DNA ANALYSIS), TO DETERMINE THAT A CRIME SCENE DNA PROFILE IS
30 SUFFICIENTLY LIKELY TO HAVE ORIGINATED FROM A CLOSE RELATIVE OF

1 AN INDIVIDUAL WHOSE DNA PROFILE IS RECORDED IN THE STATE DNA
2 DATA BASE.

3 "OTHER SPECIFIED OFFENSE." ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

4 (1) A FELONY OFFENSE, OTHER THAN CRIMINAL HOMICIDE OR A
5 FELONY SEX OFFENSE.

6 (2) [AN OFFENSE UNDER 18 PA.C.S. § 2910 (RELATING TO
7 LURING A CHILD INTO A MOTOR VEHICLE OR STRUCTURE) OR 3126
8 (RELATING TO INDECENT ASSAULT) OR AN ATTEMPT TO COMMIT SUCH
9 AN OFFENSE] (RESERVED).

10 (3) [AN OFFENSE SUBJECT TO 42 PA.C.S. CH. 97 SUBCH. H
11 (RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF SEXUAL OFFENDERS)] (RESERVED).

12 (4) 18 PA.C.S. § 2701(B)(2) (RELATING TO SIMPLE
13 ASSAULT).

14 (5) 18 PA.C.S. § 2902 (RELATING TO UNLAWFUL RESTRAINT).

15 (6) 18 PA.C.S. § 3503(B)(1)(V) (RELATING TO CRIMINAL
16 TRESPASS).

17 (7) 18 PA.C.S. § 4303 (RELATING TO CONCEALING DEATH OF
18 CHILD).

19 (8) 18 PA.C.S. § 4305 (RELATING TO DEALING IN INFANT
20 CHILDREN).

21 (9) A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE REQUIRING REGISTRATION UNDER
22 42 PA.C.S. CH. 97 SUBCH. H (RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF
23 SEXUAL OFFENDERS).

24 "STATE POLICE." THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE.

25 "Y CHROMOSOME ANALYSIS." A METHOD THAT APPLIES TECHNIQUES
26 FROM MOLECULAR BIOLOGY TO EXAMINE DNA FOUND ON THE Y CHROMOSOME.

27 § 2311. POWERS AND DUTIES OF STATE POLICE.

28 IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER POWERS AND DUTIES CONFERRED BY THIS
29 CHAPTER, THE STATE POLICE SHALL:

30 * * *

1 (2) PROMULGATE [RULES AND REGULATIONS], AS NECESSARY,
2 RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES TO CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS
3 OF THIS CHAPTER.

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5 § 2312. STATE DNA DATA BASE.

6 [THE STATE DNA DATA BASE IS REESTABLISHED. IT SHALL BE
7 ADMINISTERED BY THE STATE POLICE AND PROVIDE DNA RECORDS TO THE
8 FBI FOR STORAGE AND MAINTENANCE BY CODIS.] A STATEWIDE DNA DATA
9 BASE IS ESTABLISHED WITHIN THE STATE POLICE TO STORE DNA RECORDS
10 FROM DNA SAMPLES SUBMITTED FOR ANALYSIS AND STORAGE TO THE STATE
11 POLICE LABORATORY UNDER THE FORMER DNA ACT, THE FORMER
12 PROVISIONS OF 42 PA.C.S. CH. 47 (RELATING TO DNA DATA AND
13 TESTING) OR TO THIS CHAPTER, AND TO PROVIDE DNA RECORDS TO
14 CODIS. THE STATE DNA DATA BASE SHALL HAVE THE CAPABILITY
15 PROVIDED BY COMPUTER SOFTWARE AND PROCEDURES ADMINISTERED BY THE
16 STATE POLICE TO STORE AND MAINTAIN DNA RECORDS RELATED TO:

17 (1) FORENSIC CASEWORK;

18 (2) [CONVICTED] ARRESTEES AND CONVICTED OR DELINQUENCY
19 ADJUDICATED OFFENDERS REQUIRED TO PROVIDE A DNA SAMPLE UNDER
20 THIS CHAPTER; AND

21 (3) ANONYMOUS DNA RECORDS USED FOR STATISTICAL RESEARCH
22 [OR] ON THE FREQUENCY OF DNA GENOTYPES, QUALITY CONTROL OR
23 THE DEVELOPMENT OF NEW DNA IDENTIFICATION METHODS.

24 § 2313. STATE DNA DATA BANK.

25 THE STATE DNA DATA BANK IS REESTABLISHED. IT SHALL SERVE AS
26 THE REPOSITORY OF DNA SAMPLES COLLECTED UNDER THIS CHAPTER OR
27 UNDER PRIOR LAW.

28 § 2314. STATE POLICE RECOMMENDATION OF ADDITIONAL OFFENSES AND
29 ANNUAL REPORT.

30 (A) RECOMMENDATION.--THE STATE POLICE MAY RECOMMEND TO THE

1 GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT IT ENACT LEGISLATION FOR THE INCLUSION OF
2 ADDITIONAL OFFENSES FOR WHICH DNA SAMPLES SHALL BE TAKEN AND
3 OTHERWISE SUBJECTED TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS CHAPTER. IN
4 DETERMINING WHETHER TO RECOMMEND ADDITIONAL OFFENSES, THE STATE
5 POLICE SHALL CONSIDER THOSE OFFENSES FOR WHICH DNA TESTING WILL
6 HAVE A SUBSTANTIAL IMPACT ON THE DETECTION AND IDENTIFICATION OF
7 SEX OFFENDERS AND [VIOLENT] OTHER OFFENDERS.

8 (B) ANNUAL REPORT.--NO LATER THAN AUGUST 1 OF EACH YEAR, THE
9 COMMISSIONER SHALL SUBMIT TO THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE, THE MAJORITY
10 AND MINORITY CHAIRMEN OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE AND THE
11 MAJORITY AND MINORITY CHAIRMEN OF THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE,
12 A WRITTEN REPORT CONTAINING INFORMATION REGARDING THE COLLECTION
13 AND TESTING OF DNA SAMPLES UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS CHAPTER.
14 THE REPORT MUST INCLUDE, BUT NEED NOT BE LIMITED TO, THE
15 FOLLOWING INFORMATION PERTAINING TO THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR:

16 (1) THE NUMBER OF DNA SAMPLES SUBMITTED FROM INDIVIDUALS
17 UPON ARREST.

18 (2) THE AGE, RACE AND SEX OF ARRESTEES FROM WHOM DNA
19 SAMPLES WERE SUBMITTED UPON ARREST AND THE AGE, RACE AND SEX
20 OF THOSE CONVICTED FROM WHOM DNA SAMPLES WERE SUBMITTED UPON
21 CONVICTION.

22 (3) THE FISCAL IMPACT ON THE STATE POLICE OF COLLECTING
23 DNA SAMPLES FROM PERSONS CONVICTED OF OFFENSES.

24 (4) THE FISCAL IMPACT ON THE STATE POLICE OF COLLECTING
25 DNA SAMPLES FROM ARRESTEES.

26 (5) THE NUMBER OF DNA SAMPLES COLLECTED AT ARREST THAT
27 WERE EXPUNGED FROM THE STATEWIDE DNA DATA BASE.

28 (6) THE AVERAGE LENGTH OF TIME BETWEEN THE RECEIPT OF
29 DNA SAMPLES FROM ARRESTEES AND FROM THOSE CONVICTED OF
30 OFFENSES AND THE COMPLETION OF FORENSIC DNA TESTING OF EACH

1 OF THOSE CATEGORIES OF DNA SAMPLES.

2 (7) RECOMMENDATIONS, IF ANY, UNDER THIS SECTION FOR THE
3 INCLUSION OF ADDITIONAL OFFENSES FOR WHICH DNA SAMPLES MUST
4 BE COLLECTED OR RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE REMOVAL OF SPECIFIC
5 OFFENSES FROM THE CATEGORIES REQUIRING THE COLLECTION OF DNA
6 SAMPLES FROM ARRESTEES OR PERSONS CONVICTED OF CRIMES.

7 § 2315. PROCEDURAL COMPATIBILITY WITH FBI.

8 THE DNA IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM [AS] ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE
9 POLICE SHALL BE COMPATIBLE WITH THE PROCEDURES [SPECIFIED]
10 ESTABLISHED BY THE FBI QUALITY ASSURANCE STANDARDS FOR FORENSIC
11 DNA TESTING LABORATORIES AND DNA DATA BASING LABORATORIES AND
12 CODIS POLICIES AND PROCEDURES, INCLUDING USE OF COMPARABLE TEST
13 PROCEDURES, LABORATORY EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES AND COMPUTER
14 SOFTWARE.

15 § 2316. DNA SAMPLE REQUIRED [UPON CONVICTION, DELINQUENCY
16 ADJUDICATION AND CERTAIN ARD CASES].

17 (A) [GENERAL RULE] CONVICTION OR ADJUDICATION.--A PERSON WHO
18 IS CONVICTED OR ADJUDICATED DELINQUENT FOR CRIMINAL HOMICIDE, A
19 FELONY SEX OFFENSE OR OTHER SPECIFIED OFFENSE OR WHO IS OR
20 REMAINS INCARCERATED FOR CRIMINAL HOMICIDE, A FELONY SEX OFFENSE
21 OR OTHER SPECIFIED OFFENSE ON OR AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF
22 THIS CHAPTER SHALL HAVE A DNA SAMPLE [DRAWN] COLLECTED AS
23 FOLLOWS:

24 (1) A PERSON WHO IS SENTENCED OR RECEIVES A DELINQUENCY
25 DISPOSITION TO A TERM OF CONFINEMENT FOR AN OFFENSE COVERED
26 BY THIS SUBSECTION SHALL HAVE A DNA SAMPLE [DRAWN] COLLECTED
27 UPON INTAKE TO A PRISON, JAIL OR JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITY
28 OR ANY OTHER DETENTION FACILITY OR INSTITUTION. IF THE PERSON
29 IS ALREADY CONFINED AT THE TIME OF SENTENCING OR
30 ADJUDICATION, THE PERSON SHALL HAVE A DNA SAMPLE [DRAWN]

1 COLLECTED IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE SENTENCING OR ADJUDICATION.
2 IF A DNA SAMPLE IS NOT TIMELY [DRAWN] COLLECTED IN ACCORDANCE
3 WITH THIS SECTION, THE DNA SAMPLE MAY BE [DRAWN] COLLECTED
4 ANY TIME THEREAFTER BY THE PRISON, JAIL, JUVENILE DETENTION
5 FACILITY, DETENTION FACILITY OR INSTITUTION.

6 (2) A PERSON WHO IS CONVICTED OR ADJUDICATED DELINQUENT
7 FOR AN OFFENSE COVERED BY THIS SUBSECTION SHALL HAVE A DNA
8 SAMPLE [DRAWN] COLLECTED AS A CONDITION FOR ANY SENTENCE OR
9 ADJUDICATION WHICH DISPOSITION WILL NOT INVOLVE AN INTAKE
10 INTO A PRISON, JAIL, JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITY OR ANY OTHER
11 DETENTION FACILITY OR INSTITUTION.

12 (3) UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL A PERSON WHO IS
13 CONVICTED OR ADJUDICATED DELINQUENT FOR AN OFFENSE COVERED BY
14 THIS SUBSECTION BE RELEASED IN ANY MANNER AFTER SUCH
15 DISPOSITION UNLESS AND UNTIL A DNA SAMPLE [HAS BEEN
16 [WITHDRAWN] AND FINGERPRINTS HAVE BEEN COLLECTED.

17 (B) CONDITION OF RELEASE, PROBATION OR PAROLE.--

18 (1) A PERSON WHO HAS BEEN CONVICTED OR ADJUDICATED
19 DELINQUENT FOR CRIMINAL HOMICIDE, A FELONY SEX OFFENSE OR
20 OTHER SPECIFIED OFFENSE AND WHO SERVES A TERM OF CONFINEMENT
21 IN CONNECTION THEREWITH AFTER JUNE 18, 2002, SHALL NOT BE
22 RELEASED IN ANY MANNER UNLESS AND UNTIL A DNA SAMPLE HAS BEEN
23 [WITHDRAWN] COLLECTED.

24 (2) THIS CHAPTER SHALL APPLY TO INCARCERATED PERSONS
25 CONVICTED OR ADJUDICATED DELINQUENT FOR CRIMINAL HOMICIDE, A
26 FELONY SEX OFFENSE OR OTHER SPECIFIED OFFENSE PRIOR TO JUNE
27 19, 2002.

28 (3) THIS CHAPTER SHALL APPLY TO INCARCERATED PERSONS AND
29 PERSONS ON PROBATION OR PAROLE WHO WERE CONVICTED OR
30 ADJUDICATED DELINQUENT FOR CRIMINAL HOMICIDE, A FELONY SEX

1 OFFENSE OR OTHER SPECIFIED OFFENSES PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE
2 DATE OF THIS PARAGRAPH.

3 (C) CERTAIN ARD CASES.--ACCEPTANCE INTO ARD AS A RESULT OF A
4 CRIMINAL CHARGE FOR CRIMINAL HOMICIDE, A FELONY SEX OFFENSE OR
5 OTHER SPECIFIED OFFENSE FILED AFTER JUNE 18, 2002, [MAY] SHALL
6 BE CONDITIONED UPON THE [GIVING] COLLECTION OF A DNA SAMPLE.

7 (C.1) ARREST.--A PERSON WHO IS ARRESTED IN THIS COMMONWEALTH
8 FOR CRIMINAL HOMICIDE, FELONY SEX OFFENSES OR OTHER SPECIFIED
9 OFFENSES SHALL HAVE A DNA SAMPLE COLLECTED AS FOLLOWS:

10 (1) A PERSON WHO IS ARRESTED FOR AN OFFENSE COVERED
11 UNDER THIS SUBSECTION SHALL HAVE A DNA SAMPLE COLLECTED AT
12 THE TIME FINGERPRINTS ARE COLLECTED PURSUANT TO 18 PA.C.S. §
13 9112 (RELATING TO MANDATORY FINGERPRINTING). DNA COLLECTED
14 SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE WITHIN 48
15 HOURS IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED BY RULES, REGULATIONS OR
16 GUIDELINES PROMULGATED UNDER SECTION 2318 (RELATING TO
17 PROCEDURES FOR CONDUCT, DISPOSITION AND USE OF DNA ANALYSIS).

18 (2) A PERSON WHO IS ARRESTED FOR AN OFFENSE COVERED
19 UNDER THIS SUBSECTION MAY NOT BE RELEASED UNTIL A DNA SAMPLE
20 AND FINGERPRINTS HAVE BEEN COLLECTED.

21 (3) IF A DNA SAMPLE IS NOT TIMELY COLLECTED IN
22 ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SUBSECTION, THE DNA SAMPLE MAY BE
23 COLLECTED ANY TIME THEREAFTER BY A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIAL,
24 PRISON, JAIL, JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITY, DETENTION FACILITY
25 OR INSTITUTION.

26 (4) THIS SUBSECTION SHALL APPLY AS FOLLOWS:

27 (I) BEGINNING ONE YEAR AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF
28 THIS SUBSECTION, ANY PERSON ARRESTED FOR CRIMINAL
29 HOMICIDE SHALL HAVE A DNA SAMPLE COLLECTED UNDER THIS
30 SUBSECTION UPON ARREST.

1 (II) BEGINNING TWO YEARS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF
2 THIS SUBSECTION, ANY PERSON ARRESTED FOR A FELONY SEX
3 OFFENSE SHALL HAVE A DNA SAMPLE COLLECTED UNDER THIS
4 SUBSECTION UPON ARREST.

5 (III) BEGINNING THREE YEARS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE
6 OF THIS SUBSECTION, ANY PERSON ARRESTED FOR ANY OTHER
7 SPECIFIED OFFENSE SHALL HAVE A DNA SAMPLE COLLECTED UNDER
8 THIS SUBSECTION UPON ARREST.

9 (D) SUPERVISION OF DNA SAMPLES.--ALL DNA SAMPLES TAKEN
10 PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION SHALL BE TAKEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH
11 RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES PROMULGATED BY THE STATE
12 POLICE IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS.

13 (D.1) MANDATORY SUBMISSION.--THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS
14 CHAPTER ARE MANDATORY AND APPLY REGARDLESS OF WHETHER A COURT
15 ADVISES A PERSON THAT A DNA SAMPLE MUST BE PROVIDED TO THE STATE
16 DNA DATA BASE AND THE STATE DNA DATA BANK AS A RESULT OF [A] AN
17 ARREST, CONVICTION OR ADJUDICATION OF DELINQUENCY. A PERSON WHO
18 HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO DEATH OR LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT THE
19 POSSIBILITY OF PAROLE OR TO ANY TERM OF INCARCERATION IS NOT
20 EXEMPT FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS CHAPTER. ANY PERSON SUBJECT
21 TO THIS CHAPTER WHO HAS NOT PROVIDED A DNA SAMPLE FOR ANY
22 REASON, INCLUDING BECAUSE OF AN OVERSIGHT OR ERROR, SHALL
23 PROVIDE A DNA SAMPLE FOR INCLUSION IN THE STATE DNA DATA BASE
24 AND THE STATE DNA DATA BANK AFTER BEING NOTIFIED BY AUTHORIZED
25 LAW ENFORCEMENT OR CORRECTIONS PERSONNEL. IF A PERSON PROVIDES A
26 DNA SAMPLE WHICH IS NOT ADEQUATE FOR ANY REASON, THE PERSON
27 SHALL PROVIDE ANOTHER DNA SAMPLE FOR INCLUSION IN THE STATE DNA
28 DATA BASE AND THE STATE DNA DATA BANK AFTER BEING NOTIFIED BY
29 AUTHORIZED LAW ENFORCEMENT OR CORRECTIONS PERSONNEL. THE
30 COLLECTION OF A DNA SAMPLE UNDER THIS CHAPTER SHALL NOT BE

1 REQUIRED IF THE AUTHORIZED LAW ENFORCEMENT OR CORRECTIONS
2 OFFICIAL CONFIRMS THAT A DNA SAMPLE FROM THE PERSON HAS ALREADY
3 BEEN VALIDLY COLLECTED AND PROVIDED TO THE STATE DNA DATA BANK
4 AND A DNA RECORD FOR THE PERSON EXISTS IN THE STATE DNA DATA
5 BASE.

6 (E) DEFINITION.--AS USED IN THIS SECTION, THE TERM
7 "RELEASED" MEANS ANY RELEASE, PAROLE, FURLOUGH, WORK RELEASE,
8 PRERELEASE OR RELEASE IN ANY OTHER MANNER FROM A PRISON, JAIL,
9 JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITY OR ANY OTHER PLACE OF CONFINEMENT.

10 SECTION 2. TITLE 44 IS AMENDED BY ADDING A SECTION TO READ:
11 § 2316.1. COLLECTION FROM PERSONS ACCEPTED FROM OTHER
12 JURISDICTIONS.

13 (A) CONDITIONAL ACCEPTANCE.--WHEN A PERSON IS ACCEPTED INTO
14 THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR SUPERVISION FROM ANOTHER JURISDICTION
15 UNDER THE INTERSTATE COMPACT FOR SUPERVISION OF ADULT OFFENDERS,
16 OTHER RECIPROCAL AGREEMENT WITH A FEDERAL, STATE OR COUNTY
17 AGENCY, OR A PROVISION OF LAW, WHETHER OR NOT THE PERSON IS
18 CONFINED OR RELEASED, THE ACCEPTANCE SHALL BE CONDITIONED ON THE
19 OFFENDER'S PROVIDING DNA SAMPLES UNDER THIS CHAPTER IF THE
20 OFFENDER HAS A PAST OR PRESENT FEDERAL, STATE OR MILITARY COURT
21 CONVICTION OR ADJUDICATION THAT IS EQUIVALENT TO CRIMINAL
22 HOMICIDE, A FELONY SEX OFFENSE OR OTHER SPECIFIED OFFENSE AS
23 DETERMINED BY THE PENNSYLVANIA BOARD OF PROBATION AND PAROLE.
24 ADDITIONAL DNA SAMPLES SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED IF A DNA SAMPLE IS
25 CURRENTLY ON FILE WITH THE STATE DNA DATA BANK AND A DNA RECORD
26 IS CURRENTLY ON FILE IN THE STATE DNA DATA BASE.

27 (B) TIME PERIOD.--

28 (1) IF THE PERSON ACCEPTED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) IS NOT
29 CONFINED, THE DNA SAMPLE AND FINGERPRINTS REQUIRED UNDER THIS
30 CHAPTER SHALL BE PROVIDED WITHIN FIVE CALENDAR DAYS AFTER THE

1 PERSON REPORTS TO THE SUPERVISING AGENT OR WITHIN FIVE
2 CALENDAR DAYS OF NOTICE TO THE PERSON, WHICHEVER OCCURS
3 FIRST. THE PERSON SHALL APPEAR AND THE DNA SAMPLES SHALL BE
4 COLLECTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS CHAPTER.

5 (2) IF THE PERSON ACCEPTED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) IS
6 CONFINED, THE PERSON SHALL PROVIDE THE DNA SAMPLE AND
7 FINGERPRINTS REQUIRED BY THIS CHAPTER WITHIN FIVE CALENDAR
8 DAYS AFTER THE PERSON IS RECEIVED AT A PLACE OF INCARCERATION
9 OR CONFINEMENT.

10 SECTION 3. SECTIONS 2317 HEADING AND (A) (1) AND (B) AND
11 2318(A) AND (C) OF TITLE 44 ARE AMENDED TO READ:

12 § 2317. PROCEDURES FOR [WITHDRAWAL,] COLLECTION AND
13 TRANSMISSION OF DNA SAMPLES.

14 (A) [DRAWING] COLLECTION OF DNA SAMPLES.--

15 (1) EACH DNA SAMPLE REQUIRED TO BE [DRAWN] COLLECTED
16 PURSUANT TO [SECTION] SECTIONS 2316 (RELATING TO DNA SAMPLE
17 REQUIRED [UPON CONVICTION, DELINQUENCY ADJUDICATION AND
18 CERTAIN ARD CASES]) AND 2316.1 (RELATING TO COLLECTION FROM
19 PERSONS ACCEPTED FROM OTHER JURISDICTIONS) [FROM] SHALL BE
20 COLLECTED AS FOLLOWS:

21 (I) FROM PERSONS WHO ARE INCARCERATED OR CONFINED,
22 THE DNA SAMPLE SHALL BE [DRAWN] COLLECTED AT THE PLACE OF
23 INCARCERATION OR CONFINEMENT AS PROVIDED FOR IN SECTION
24 2316 OR 2316.1.

25 (II) DNA SAMPLES FROM PERSONS WHO ARE NOT [ORDERED
26 OR SENTENCED TO A TERM OF CONFINEMENT] INCARCERATED OR
27 CONFINED SHALL BE [DRAWN] COLLECTED AS PRESCRIBED IN
28 SECTIONS 2316 AND 2316.1 OR AT A PRISON, JAIL UNIT,
29 JUVENILE FACILITY OR OTHER FACILITY [TO BE] SPECIFIED BY
30 THE COURT OR SUPERVISING AGENT. [ONLY] FOR DNA BLOOD

1 SAMPLES, ONLY THOSE INDIVIDUALS QUALIFIED TO DRAW DNA
2 BLOOD SAMPLES IN A MEDICALLY APPROVED MANNER SHALL DRAW A
3 DNA BLOOD SAMPLE TO BE SUBMITTED FOR DNA ANALYSIS. [SUCH
4 SAMPLE] DNA SAMPLES AND THE SET OF FINGERPRINTS PROVIDED
5 FOR IN PARAGRAPH (2) SHALL BE DELIVERED TO THE STATE
6 POLICE WITHIN 48 HOURS OF [DRAWING] COLLECTING THE
7 SAMPLE.

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9 (B) LIMITATION ON LIABILITY.--PERSONS AUTHORIZED TO [DRAW]
10 COLLECT DNA SAMPLES UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL NOT BE CRIMINALLY
11 LIABLE FOR WITHDRAWING A DNA SAMPLE AND TRANSMITTING TEST
12 RESULTS PURSUANT TO THIS CHAPTER IF THEY PERFORM THESE
13 ACTIVITIES IN GOOD FAITH AND SHALL NOT BE CIVILLY LIABLE FOR
14 SUCH ACTIVITIES WHEN THE PERSON ACTED IN A REASONABLE MANNER
15 ACCORDING TO GENERALLY ACCEPTED MEDICAL AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL
16 PRACTICES.

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18 § 2318. PROCEDURES FOR CONDUCT, DISPOSITION AND USE OF DNA
19 ANALYSIS.

20 (A) PROCEDURES.--

21 (1) THE STATE POLICE SHALL [PRESCRIBE] PROMULGATE, AS
22 NECESSARY, RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES TO IMPLEMENT
23 THIS CHAPTER, INCLUDING PROCEDURES TO BE USED IN THE
24 COLLECTION, SUBMISSION, IDENTIFICATION, ANALYSIS, STORAGE AND
25 DISPOSITION OF DNA SAMPLES AND TYPING RESULTS OF DNA SAMPLES
26 SUBMITTED UNDER THE FORMER DNA ACT, FORMER PROVISIONS OF 42
27 PA.C.S. CH. 47 (RELATING TO DNA DATA AND TESTING) OR THIS
28 CHAPTER.

29 (2) THE DNA SAMPLE TYPING RESULTS SHALL BE SECURELY
30 STORED IN THE STATE DNA DATA BASE, AND RECORDS OF TESTING

1 SHALL BE RETAINED ON FILE WITH THE STATE POLICE CONSISTENT
2 WITH THE PROCEDURES ESTABLISHED BY THE FBI QUALITY ASSURANCE
3 STANDARDS FOR FORENSIC DNA TESTING LABORATORIES AND DNA DATA
4 BASING LABORATORIES AND CODIS POLICIES AND PROCEDURES. NO
5 SAMPLE TYPING RESULTS FROM A SAMPLE COLLECTED PURSUANT TO
6 SECTION 2316(C.1) (RELATING TO DNA SAMPLE REQUIRED) SHALL BE
7 STORED IN THE STATE DNA DATA BASE OR SUBMITTED TO THE
8 NATIONAL DNA INDEX SYSTEM UNTIL THE DEFENDANT HAS BEEN HELD
9 FOR COURT FOR A QUALIFYING OFFENSE AFTER GRAND JURY
10 INDICTMENT OR WAIVER OR PRELIMINARY HEARING OR WAIVER.

11 (3) THESE PROCEDURES SHALL ALSO INCLUDE QUALITY
12 ASSURANCE GUIDELINES TO ENSURE THAT DNA IDENTIFICATION
13 RECORDS MEET STANDARDS FOR ACCREDITED FORENSIC DNA
14 LABORATORIES WHICH SUBMIT DNA RECORDS TO THE STATE DNA DATA
15 BASE.

16 (4) THE RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES SHALL ADDRESS
17 THE FOLLOWING:

18 (I) VERIFICATION OF ACCREDITATION.

19 (II) COMPLIANCE WITH FBI QUALITY ASSURANCE
20 STANDARDS, INCLUDING CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS
21 FOR THE PERSONNEL OF FORENSICS DNA TESTING LABORATORIES.

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23 (C) USE OF TESTS.--

24 (1) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN SECTION 2319(C)
25 (RELATING TO DNA DATA BASE EXCHANGE), THE TESTS TO BE
26 PERFORMED ON EACH DNA SAMPLE SHALL BE USED ONLY FOR LAW
27 ENFORCEMENT IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES OR TO ASSIST IN THE
28 RECOVERY OR IDENTIFICATION OF HUMAN REMAINS FROM DISASTERS OR
29 FOR OTHER HUMANITARIAN IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES, INCLUDING
30 IDENTIFICATION OF MISSING PERSONS.

1 (2) NO DNA SAMPLE OR DNA RECORD ACQUIRED UNDER THIS
2 CHAPTER MAY BE USED FOR HUMAN BEHAVIORAL GENETIC RESEARCH OR
3 FOR NONLAW ENFORCEMENT OR NONHUMANITARIAN IDENTIFICATION
4 PURPOSES.

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6 SECTION 4. TITLE 44 IS AMENDED BY ADDING A SECTION TO READ:
7 § 2318.1. REQUEST FOR MODIFIED DNA SEARCH.

8 (A) GENERAL RULE.--

9 (1) A CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCY MAY REQUEST IN WRITING
10 THAT THE STATE POLICE PERFORM A MODIFIED DNA SEARCH IN AN
11 UNSOLVED CASE AND SHALL PROVIDE INFORMATION AS REQUIRED BY
12 THE STATE POLICE.

13 (2) THE STATE POLICE MAY GRANT A REQUEST TO CONDUCT A
14 MODIFIED DNA SEARCH IF THE STATE POLICE DETERMINE THAT THE
15 REQUEST COMPLIES WITH SUBSECTION (D) (2).

16 (B) MODIFIED DNA SEARCH.--

17 (1) THE STATE POLICE MAY CONDUCT A MODIFIED DNA SEARCH
18 IF IT GRANTS A REQUEST UNDER SUBSECTION (A) (2).

19 (2) THE STATE POLICE MAY CONDUCT A MODIFIED DNA SEARCH
20 IN UNSOLVED CASES WITHOUT THE REQUEST OF A CRIMINAL JUSTICE
21 AGENCY IF THE STATE POLICE DETERMINE THAT THEY WOULD HAVE
22 GRANTED A REQUEST HAD A REQUEST BEEN MADE BY A CRIMINAL
23 JUSTICE AGENCY.

24 (3) IN ALL CASES, THE STATE POLICE SHALL USE PROCEDURES
25 FOR CONDUCTING A MODIFIED DNA SEARCH THAT ARE CONSISTENT WITH
26 THE RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES PROMULGATED UNDER
27 SECTION 2318 (RELATING TO PROCEDURES FOR CONDUCT, DISPOSITION
28 AND USE OF DNA ANALYSIS).

29 (C) RELEASE OF INFORMATION FROM A MODIFIED DNA SEARCH.--THE
30 STATE POLICE SHALL PROVIDE THE REQUESTING CRIMINAL JUSTICE

1 AGENCY WITH PERSONALLY IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON INDIVIDUALS
2 WHOSE DNA RECORDS WERE IDENTIFIED THROUGH A MODIFIED DNA SEARCH.

3 (D) REQUIREMENTS.--

4 (1) THE STATE POLICE SHALL REQUIRE A CRIMINAL JUSTICE
5 AGENCY TO PROVIDE ASSURANCES AND INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF
6 ITS REQUEST FOR A MODIFIED DNA SEARCH, INCLUDING:

7 (I) A REPRESENTATION THAT A MODIFIED DNA SEARCH IS
8 NECESSARY FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES IN
9 AN UNSOLVED CASE.

10 (II) A REPRESENTATION THAT ALL OTHER INVESTIGATIVE
11 LEADS HAVE BEEN PURSUED.

12 (III) A COMMITMENT TO FURTHER INVESTIGATE THE CASE
13 IF PERSONAL IDENTIFYING INFORMATION FROM A MODIFIED DNA
14 SEARCH IS PROVIDED.

15 (IV) ANY OTHER INFORMATION THE STATE POLICE DEEM
16 NECESSARY.

17 (2) THE STATE POLICE MAY GRANT A MODIFIED DNA SEARCH
18 REQUEST IF THE STATE POLICE DETERMINE THAT:

19 (I) THE CRIME SCENE DNA PROFILE HAS SUFFICIENT SIZE,
20 QUALITY AND INTEGRITY.

21 (II) THE CRIME SCENE DNA PROFILE HAS PREVIOUSLY BEEN
22 SUBJECTED TO A ROUTINE DNA SEARCH AGAINST THE STATE DNA
23 DATA BASE AND THE NATIONAL DNA INDEX SYSTEM.

24 (III) THE MODIFIED DNA SEARCH IS NECESSARY FOR LAW
25 ENFORCEMENT IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES IN AN UNSOLVED CASE.

26 (IV) THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCY HAS PURSUED ALL
27 OTHER INVESTIGATIVE LEADS.

28 (V) ANY RELEVANT CONSIDERATION, INCLUDING FACTORS OR
29 REQUIREMENTS CONSIDERED BY ANY OTHER JURISDICTION,
30 SUPPORTS GRANTING THE REQUEST.

1 (3) THE STATE POLICE PROCEDURES, PROMULGATED UNDER
2 SECTION 2318, TO CONDUCT MODIFIED DNA SEARCHES SHALL BE BASED
3 ON SCIENTIFICALLY VALID AND RELIABLE METHODS TO DETERMINE
4 THAT A CRIME SCENE DNA PROFILE IS SUFFICIENTLY LIKELY TO HAVE
5 ORIGINATED FROM A CLOSE RELATIVE OF AN INDIVIDUAL WHOSE DNA
6 PROFILE IS RECORDED IN THE STATE DNA DATA BASE OR THE
7 NATIONAL DNA INDEX SYSTEM. THE STATE POLICE MAY REQUIRE THE
8 FOLLOWING:

9 (I) AN ANALYSIS OF THE RARITY IN THE RELEVANT
10 POPULATION OF EACH SHARED DNA CHARACTERISTIC.

11 (II) AN ANALYSIS OF THE PATTERN OF SHARED DNA
12 CHARACTERISTICS.

13 (III) Y CHROMOSOME ANALYSIS.

14 (IV) MITOCHONDRIAL DNA ANALYSIS.

15 (V) ANY OTHER SUITABLE METHOD DESIGNED TO DETERMINE
16 THAT A CRIME SCENE DNA PROFILE ORIGINATED FROM A CLOSE
17 RELATIVE OF AN INDIVIDUAL IN THE STATE DNA DATA BASE OR
18 THE NATIONAL DNA INDEX SYSTEM.

19 SECTION 5. SECTIONS 2319, 2321 AND 2322 OF TITLE 44 ARE
20 AMENDED TO READ:

21 § 2319. DNA DATA BASE EXCHANGE.

22 (A) RECEIPT OF DNA SAMPLES BY STATE POLICE.--IT SHALL BE THE
23 DUTY OF THE STATE POLICE TO RECEIVE DNA SAMPLES, TO STORE, TO
24 PERFORM ANALYSIS OR TO CONTRACT FOR DNA TYPING ANALYSIS WITH [A
25 QUALIFIED] AN ACCREDITED FORENSIC DNA LABORATORY THAT MEETS THE
26 [GUIDELINES] RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES UNDER SECTION
27 2318 (RELATING TO PROCEDURES FOR CONDUCT, DISPOSITION AND USE OF
28 DNA ANALYSIS) AS ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE POLICE, TO CLASSIFY
29 AND TO FILE THE DNA RECORD OF IDENTIFICATION CHARACTERISTIC
30 PROFILES OF DNA SAMPLES SUBMITTED UNDER THE FORMER DNA ACT,

1 FORMER PROVISIONS OF 42 PA.C.S. CH. 47 (RELATING TO DNA DATA AND
2 TESTING) OR THIS CHAPTER AND TO MAKE SUCH INFORMATION AVAILABLE
3 AS PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION. THE STATE POLICE MAY CONTRACT [OUT]
4 FOR THE STORAGE OF DNA TYPING ANALYSIS [AND MAY CONTRACT OUT] OR
5 DNA TYPING ANALYSIS TO [A QUALIFIED] AN ACCREDITED FORENSIC DNA
6 LABORATORY THAT MEETS THE RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES AS
7 ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE POLICE UNDER SECTION 2318. THE RESULTS
8 OF THE DNA PROFILE OF INDIVIDUALS IN THE STATE DNA DATA BASE
9 SHALL BE MADE AVAILABLE:

10 (1) TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCIES OR [APPROVED CRIME]
11 CODIS-PARTICIPATING DNA LABORATORIES WHICH SERVE THESE
12 AGENCIES; OR

13 (2) UPON WRITTEN OR ELECTRONIC REQUEST AND IN
14 FURTHERANCE OF AN OFFICIAL INVESTIGATION OF A CRIMINAL
15 OFFENSE OR OFFENDER OR SUSPECTED OFFENDER.

16 (B) METHODS OF OBTAINING INFORMATION.--THE STATE POLICE
17 SHALL [ADOPT] PROMULGATE, AS NECESSARY, RULES, REGULATIONS AND
18 GUIDELINES GOVERNING THE METHODS OF OBTAINING INFORMATION FROM
19 THE STATE DNA DATA BASE AND CODIS AND PROCEDURES FOR
20 VERIFICATION OF THE IDENTITY AND AUTHORITY OF THE REQUESTER.

21 (C) POPULATION DATA BASE.--

22 (1) THE STATE POLICE MAY ESTABLISH A SEPARATE POPULATION
23 DATA BASE COMPRISED OF DNA SAMPLES OBTAINED UNDER THIS
24 CHAPTER AFTER ALL PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION IS REMOVED.

25 (2) THE STATE POLICE MAY SHARE OR DISSEMINATE THE
26 POPULATION DATA BASE WITH OTHER CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCIES OR
27 [CRIME] CODIS-PARTICIPATING DNA LABORATORIES THAT SERVE TO
28 ASSIST THE STATE POLICE WITH STATISTICAL DATA BASES.

29 (3) THE POPULATION DATA BASE MAY BE MADE AVAILABLE TO
30 AND SEARCHED BY OTHER AGENCIES PARTICIPATING IN THE CODIS

1 SYSTEM.

2 (D) SEPARATE CATEGORY.--THE STATE POLICE SHALL CREATE A
3 SEPARATE CATEGORY WITHIN THE DATA BASE TO STORE DNA SAMPLES AND
4 RECORDS COLLECTED UPON ARREST UNDER SECTION 2316(C.1) (RELATING
5 TO DNA SAMPLE REQUIRED).

6 § 2321. EXPUNGEMENT.

7 [(A) GENERAL RULE.--A PERSON WHOSE DNA SAMPLE, RECORD OR
8 PROFILE HAS BEEN INCLUDED IN THE STATE DNA DATA BANK OR THE
9 STATE DNA DATA BASE PURSUANT TO THE FORMER DNA ACT, FORMER 42
10 PA.C.S. CH. 47 (RELATING TO DNA DATA AND TESTING) OR THIS
11 CHAPTER MAY REQUEST EXPUNGEMENT ON THE GROUNDS THAT THE
12 CONVICTION OR DELINQUENCY ADJUDICATION ON WHICH THE AUTHORITY
13 FOR INCLUDING THAT PERSON'S DNA SAMPLE, RECORD OR PROFILE WAS
14 BASED HAS BEEN REVERSED AND THE CASE DISMISSED OR THAT THE DNA
15 SAMPLE, RECORD OR PROFILE WAS INCLUDED IN THE STATE DNA DATA
16 BANK OR THE STATE DNA DATA BASE BY MISTAKE.

17 (B) DUTY OF STATE POLICE.--THE STATE POLICE SHALL PURGE ALL
18 RECORDS AND IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION IN THE STATE DNA DATA BANK
19 OR STATE DNA DATA BASE PERTAINING TO THE PERSON AND DESTROY EACH
20 SAMPLE, RECORD AND PROFILE FROM THE PERSON UPON:

21 (1) RECEIPT OF A WRITTEN REQUEST FOR EXPUNGEMENT
22 PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION AND A CERTIFIED COPY OF THE FINAL
23 COURT ORDER REVERSING AND DISMISSING THE CONVICTION; OR

24 (2) CLEAR AND CONVINCING PROOF THAT THE SAMPLE RECORD OR
25 PROFILE WAS INCLUDED BY MISTAKE.]

26 (A) GENERAL RULE.--A PERSON WHOSE DNA SAMPLE, RECORD OR
27 PROFILE HAS BEEN INCLUDED IN THE STATE DNA DATA BANK OR THE
28 STATE DNA DATA BASE UNDER THE FORMER DNA ACT, FORMER PROVISIONS
29 OF 42 PA.C.S. CH. 47 (RELATING TO DNA DATA AND TESTING) OR THIS
30 CHAPTER MAY HAVE THE DNA SAMPLE, RECORD OR PROFILE EXPUNGED IN

1 ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SECTION.

2 (B) REMOVAL BY REQUEST.--A PERSON WHOSE DNA SAMPLE, RECORD
3 OR PROFILE HAS BEEN INCLUDED IN THE STATE DNA DATA BANK OR THE
4 STATE DNA DATE BASE UNDER THE FORMER DNA ACT, FORMER PROVISIONS
5 OF 42 PA.C.S. CH. 47 OR THIS CHAPTER MAY FILE A WRITTEN REQUEST
6 WITH THE STATE POLICE ON THE GROUNDS THAT THE DNA SAMPLE, RECORD
7 OR PROFILE BE REMOVED ON THE GROUNDS THAT THE DNA SAMPLE, RECORD
8 OR PROFILE WAS INCLUDED IN THE STATE DNA DATA BANK OR THE STATE
9 DNA DATA BASE BY MISTAKE. IF THE STATE POLICE GRANTS THE
10 REQUEST, THE REQUEST SHALL BE PROCESSED AT NO COST AND THE STATE
11 POLICE SHALL PROVIDE WRITTEN NOTICE OF THE REMOVAL TO THE PERSON
12 AND HIS ATTORNEY OF RECORD, IF ANY, WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER
13 DESTROYING THE DNA SAMPLE, RECORD AND PROFILE. IF THE STATE
14 POLICE ERRONEOUSLY DENIES THE REQUEST, THE PERSON MAY FILE A
15 REQUEST FOR EXPUNGEMENT OF THE DNA SAMPLE, RECORD OR PROFILE
16 WITH THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF THE COUNTY WHERE THE ORIGINAL
17 CHARGES WERE FILED OR THE ARREST FOR WHICH THE DNA SAMPLE,
18 RECORD OR PROFILE ORIGINATED WAS MADE. UPON RECEIPT OF A REQUEST
19 FOR EXPUNGEMENT, THE COURT SHALL SERVE NOTICE UPON THE DISTRICT
20 ATTORNEY WHO SHALL FILE AND SERVE OBJECTIONS, IF ANY, WITHIN 30
21 DAYS OF SERVICE OF NOTICE. AT A HEARING ON THE REQUEST, THE
22 DISTRICT ATTORNEY SHALL HAVE THE BURDEN OF SHOWING BY A
23 PREPONDERANCE OF THE EVIDENCE THAT THE SAMPLE, RECORD OR PROFILE
24 SHOULD NOT BE REMOVED.

25 (B.1) EXPUNGEMENT BY COURT ORDER.--THE FOLLOWING SHALL
26 APPLY:

27 (1) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED UNDER PARAGRAPHS (2) AND (3), THE
28 COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF THE COUNTY WHERE THE ORIGINAL
29 CHARGES WERE FILED OR THE ARREST FOR WHICH THE DNA SAMPLE,
30 RECORD OR PROFILE ORIGINATED WAS MADE MAY ISSUE AN ORDER

1 DIRECTING THE EXPUNGEMENT OF THE DNA SAMPLE, RECORD OR
2 PROFILE PERTAINING TO THE PERSON IN THE STATE DNA DATA BANK
3 OR THE STATE DNA DATA BASE IN THE FOLLOWING INSTANCES:

4 (I) THE CONVICTION OR DELINQUENCY ADJUDICATION FOR
5 WHICH THE PERSON'S DNA SAMPLE WAS COLLECTED HAS BEEN
6 REVERSED AND NO APPEAL IS PENDING;

7 (II) THE CHARGE FOR WHICH THE DNA SAMPLE WAS TAKEN
8 HAS BEEN DISMISSED, NO APPEAL IS PENDING AND THE
9 PROSECUTING AUTHORITY IS BARRED FROM FURTHER PROSECUTION;

10 (III) THERE HAS BEEN A JUDGMENT OF ACQUITTAL ON THE
11 CHARGE FOR WHICH THE DNA SAMPLE WAS TAKEN AND NO FURTHER
12 APPEAL IS PENDING;

13 (IV) THE PERSON FROM WHOM THE DNA SAMPLE WAS TAKEN
14 WAS NOT CHARGED WITH A CRIME FOR WHICH A DNA SAMPLE IS
15 AUTHORIZED TO BE TAKEN UNDER THIS CHAPTER;

16 (V) THE PROSECUTING AUTHORITY HAS EXPRESSLY DECLINED
17 TO PROSECUTE THE CHARGE FOR WHICH THE DNA SAMPLE WAS
18 TAKEN;

19 (VI) THE CHARGE FOR WHICH THE DNA SAMPLE WAS TAKEN
20 WAS NOT FILED WITHIN THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS;

21 (VII) THE PERSON WAS GRANTED AN UNCONDITIONAL PARDON
22 FOR THE CRIME FOR WHICH THE DNA SAMPLE WAS TAKEN; OR

23 (2) PARAGRAPH (1) AND SUBSECTION (B) SHALL NOT APPLY IF
24 THE PERSON HAS BEEN ARRESTED, CHARGED, CONVICTED OR
25 ADJUDICATED DELINQUENT FOR ANY OTHER CRIME FOR WHICH A DNA
26 SAMPLE IS REQUIRED TO BE COLLECTED UNDER THIS CHAPTER.

27 (3) THE COURT MAY NOT ORDER EXPUNGEMENT PRIOR TO 30 DAYS
28 AFTER SERVING NOTICE TO THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY. WITHIN THE 30-
29 DAY PERIOD THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY MAY FILE OBJECTIONS TO THE
30 EXPUNGEMENT. IF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY FILES OBJECTIONS, A

1 HEARING SHALL BE HELD AT WHICH THE BURDEN SHALL BE ON THE
2 DISTRICT ATTORNEY TO SHOW, BY A PREPONDERANCE OF THE
3 EVIDENCE, THAT NONE OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES IN PARAGRAPH (1) ARE
4 PRESENT OR, EXCEPT FOR A MOTION FILED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (1)
5 (III), WHY THE INTERESTS OF JUSTICE WILL NOT BE SERVED AND
6 EXPUNGEMENT SHOULD NOT BE ORDERED.

7 (4) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER LAW OR RULE OF COURT, THE
8 COURT SHALL HAVE NO AUTHORITY TO ORDER THE EXPUNGEMENT OF ANY
9 DNA SAMPLE, RECORD OR PROFILE IN THE STATE DNA DATA BANK OR
10 THE STATE DNA DATA BASE EXCEPT AS PROVIDED UNDER THIS
11 SUBSECTION.

12 (B.2) EXPUNGEMENT REPORTING.--THE COURT SHALL FORWARD A
13 CERTIFIED COPY OF AN EXPUNGEMENT ORDER ISSUED UNDER SUBSECTION
14 (B) OR (B.1) TO THE STATE POLICE.

15 (B.3) DUTIES OF STATE POLICE.--THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY:

16 (1) UPON RECEIPT OF AN EXPUNGEMENT ORDER ISSUED UNDER
17 SUBSECTION (B) OR (B.1), THE STATE POLICE SHALL DESTROY THE
18 DNA SAMPLE, RECORD AND PROFILE IN THE STATE DNA DATA BANK AND
19 THE STATE DNA DATA BASE PERTAINING TO A PERSON IDENTIFIED IN
20 AN EXPUNGEMENT ORDER.

21 (2) THE EXPUNGEMENT SHALL BE PROCESSED AT NO COST TO THE
22 PERSON FROM WHOM THE DNA SAMPLE WAS TAKEN.

23 (3) THE STATE POLICE SHALL PROVIDE WRITTEN NOTICE OF THE
24 EXPUNGEMENT TO THE PERSON AND HIS ATTORNEY OF RECORD, IF ANY,
25 WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER DESTROYING THE DNA SAMPLE, RECORD AND
26 PROFILE.

27 (4) THE STATE POLICE SHALL PUBLISH INFORMATION REGARDING
28 THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR EXPUNGEMENT UNDER THIS
29 SECTION AND THE STEPS NECESSARY TO OBTAIN AN EXPUNGEMENT
30 UNDER THIS SECTION ON THE STATE POLICE'S PUBLICLY AVAILABLE

1 INTERNET WEBSITE. THE INFORMATION SHALL INCLUDE A SIMPLIFIED
2 FORM PETITION AND PROPOSED ORDER, APPROVED BY THE
3 ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF PENNSYLVANIA COURTS, WHICH CAN BE
4 USED BY THE PERSON TO REQUEST AN EXPUNGEMENT FROM THE COURT
5 AUTHORIZED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OR (B.1). THE STATE POLICE
6 SHALL PUBLISH THE INFORMATION IN AT LEAST TWO COMMONLY
7 ACCESSIBLE FORMATS, SUCH AS HYPERTEXT MARKUP LANGUAGE AND
8 PORTABLE DOCUMENT FORMAT.

9 (C) LIMITATIONS.--

10 (1) AN INCARCERATED OR PREVIOUSLY INCARCERATED PERSON
11 MAY NOT SEEK EXPUNGEMENT OF A DNA SAMPLE, RECORD OR PROFILE
12 ON THE GROUND THAT THAT PERSON WAS CONVICTED OR ADJUDICATED
13 DELINQUENT FOR A FELONY SEX OFFENSE PRIOR TO JULY 27, 1995.

14 (2) A PERSON MAY NOT SEEK EXPUNGEMENT OF A DNA SAMPLE,
15 RECORD OR PROFILE ON THE GROUND THAT THAT PERSON WAS
16 CONVICTED OR ADJUDICATED DELINQUENT FOR ONE OF THE OTHER
17 SPECIFIED OFFENSES PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE FORMER
18 DNA ACT OR THIS CHAPTER.

19 (D) EFFECT OF EXPUNGEMENT.--THE EXPUNGEMENT OF A DNA SAMPLE,
20 RECORD OR PROFILE PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION SHALL HAVE NO EFFECT
21 ON ANY DATA BANK OR DATA BASE MATCH OR PARTIAL MATCH OCCURRING
22 PRIOR TO THE EXPUNGEMENT OF THE SAMPLE, RECORD OR PROFILE.

23 § 2322. MANDATORY COST.

24 UNLESS THE COURT FINDS THAT UNDUE HARDSHIP WOULD RESULT, A
25 MANDATORY COST OF \$250, WHICH SHALL BE IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER
26 COSTS IMPOSED PURSUANT TO STATUTORY AUTHORITY, SHALL
27 AUTOMATICALLY BE ASSESSED ON ANY PERSON CONVICTED, ADJUDICATED
28 DELINQUENT OR GRANTED ARD FOR CRIMINAL HOMICIDE, A FELONY SEX
29 OFFENSE OR OTHER SPECIFIED OFFENSE, AND ALL PROCEEDS DERIVED
30 FROM THIS SECTION SHALL BE TRANSMITTED TO THE FUND.

1 SECTION 6. THIS ACT SHALL TAKE EFFECT IN 60 DAYS.