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PUBLIC SAFETY

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to videorecording of eluding or attempting to
2 elude a pursuing law enforcement vehicle.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 321.279A ELUDING OR ATTEMPTING
2 TO ELUDE -- PEACE OFFICER CAMERA.

3 If a person eludes or attempts to a elude a pursuing peace
4 officer in violation of section 321.279, and if the pursuing
5 law enforcement vehicle contains a camera which is capable of
6 videorecording the pursuit, the peace officer pursuing the
7 person shall keep the vehicle's camera recording the pursuit
8 at all times during the pursuit and during any subsequent
9 questioning of the person stopped for a violation of section
10 321.279.

11 EXPLANATION

12 This bill relates to eluding or attempting to elude a
13 pursuing law enforcement vehicle.

14 The bill provides that if a person eludes or attempts to
15 elude a pursuing peace officer, and if the pursuing law
16 enforcement vehicle contains a camera which is capable of
17 videorecording the pursuit, the peace officer pursuing the
18 person shall keep the vehicle's camera recording at all times
19 during the pursuit and during any subsequent questioning of
20 the person stopped.

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