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BY: Committee on Ways and Means

<u>AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 669</u> (First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike "Text Messaging" and substitute "<u>Electronic</u>"; in line 4, strike "requiring each" and substitute "<u>authorizing a</u>"; in line 6, after "education" insert "<u>that establishes an anonymous two-way electronic tip program</u>"; in lines 5, 10, 11, and 14, in each instance, strike "text messaging" and substitute "<u>electronic</u>"; and in line 10, after the semicolon insert "<u>authorizing the Governor to include funding in the State budget to provide grants to county boards to establish a certain program</u>".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 13, strike "EACH" and substitute "<u>A</u>"; in the same line, strike "SHALL" and substitute "<u>MAY</u>"; in line 20, after "BOARD" insert "<u>THAT ESTABLISHES</u> <u>AN ANONYMOUS TWO-WAY ELECTRONIC TIP PROGRAM</u>"; and after line 31, insert:

"(5) <u>The Governor may include funding in the State</u> <u>BUDGET TO PROVIDE GRANTS TO COUNTY BOARDS TO ESTABLISH AN</u> <u>ANONYMOUS TWO-WAY ELECTRONIC TIP PROGRAM.</u>".

On page 3 in lines 14, 16, 21, and 25, on page 4 in line 7, and on page 5 in line 24, in each instance, strike "**TEXT MESSAGING**" and substitute "<u>ELECTRONIC</u>".