

AMENDMENT

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1 Page 13, line 21, following "court.":

2 Insert "The attorney general may not elect to seek the death penalty under this section  
3 unless the state is prepared to present to the jury at trial

4 (1) biological evidence or deoxyribonucleic acid evidence that links  
5 the defendant to the act of murder;

6 (2) a videotaped voluntary confession by the defendant to the murder;  
7 or

8 (3) a video recording that conclusively links the defendant to the  
9 murder."

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11 Page 14, line 13:

12 Delete "and"

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14 Page 14, following line 13:

15 Insert a new paragraph to read:

16 "(3) that the state presented

17 (A) biological evidence or deoxyribonucleic acid evidence that  
18 links the defendant to the act of murder;

19 (B) a videotaped voluntary confession by the defendant to the  
20 murder; or

21 (C) a video recording that conclusively links the defendant to  
22 the murder;"

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1 Renumber the following paragraph accordingly.

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3 Page 14, line 29:

4 Delete "and"

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6 Page 14, following line 29:

7 Insert a new paragraph to read:

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