CHAPTER 2019-91

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1021

An act relating to the DNA database; amending s. 943.325, F.S.; revising legislative findings relating to the use of the DNA database; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section 943.325, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

943.325 DNA database.—

(1) LEGISLATIVE INTENT.—

(b) The Legislature also finds that upon establishment of the Florida DNA database, a match between casework evidence DNA samples from a criminal investigation and DNA samples from a state or federal DNA database of certain offenders may be used to find probable cause for the issuance of a warrant <u>for arrest or</u> to obtain the DNA sample from an offender.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019.

Approved by the Governor June 7, 2019.

Filed in Office Secretary of State June 7, 2019.