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Bill Analysis

SB 1966 modifies provisions of criminal law relating to bombing. The measure strikes reference to “bombing” and instead defines the use of an explosive, explosive device, incendiary, or incendiary device as a felony. The measure strikes the maximum term of imprisonment, allowing for a person convicted of using an explosive or incendiary device with intent to cause great bodily harm or death to be sentenced to death or life without the possibility of parole. The measure provides that a person charged with using an explosive, explosive device, incendiary, or incendiary device to damage property must have placed a device capable of destroying such property. The measure increases the maximum penalty for various crimes relating to explosives from 10 to 20 years.

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