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Bill Analysis

SB 1803 directs the Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training (CLEET) to establish certification standards for pursuit-ready agencies. Such certification shall emphasize pursuit and risk assessment, oversight, disengagement procedures, public safety considerations, tactical intervention options, and post-pursuit review. The measure specifies that pursuit decisions constitute discretionary acts within the course and scope of employment under The Governmental Tort Claims Act. The measure also specifies that the actions of the fleeing suspect shall be considered the proximate cause of any injury, death, or property damage occurring during the pursuit.

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