



SENATE MOTION

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Senate Bill 285 be amended to read as follows:

1 Page 2, line 20, delete "offer to transport the person to a" and insert
2 **"provide the person with information regarding locations**
3 **authorized by law to provide services or shelter."**.
4 Page 2, delete lines 21 through 22.
5 Page 2, delete lines 23 through 28, begin a new paragraph and
6 insert:
7 **"(c) A person who knowingly or intentionally violates subsection**
8 **(a) commits street camping, a Class C misdemeanor, if:**
9 **(1) the person has received a warning under subsection (b);**
10 **(2) at least forty-eight (48) hours have elapsed since the**
11 **warning was issued; and**
12 **(3) the person is camping or sleeping on, or using for long**
13 **term shelter, land owned by the state or a political subdivision**
14 **that is located within a three hundred (300) foot radius of the**
15 **location where the warning under subsection (b) was issued."**.
16 Page 2, line 30, delete "including a forensic" and insert "**including:**
17 **(1) a prosecutorial diversion program under IC 33-39-1-8; or**
18 **(2) a forensic diversion program under IC 11-12-3.7."**.
19 Page 2, delete line 31, begin a new paragraph and insert:
20 **"(e) If a law enforcement officer has reasonable grounds to**
21 **believe that a person is either dangerous or gravely disabled, and**
22 **is in immediate need of hospitalization and treatment, an officer**
23 **may initiate emergency detention procedures under IC 12-26-5."**.
24 Page 3, line 14, after "number of" insert "**citations issued and**".
25 Page 3, delete lines 17 through 19, begin a new paragraph and
26 insert:
27 **"Sec. 5. (a) Subject to subsection (b), this chapter does not**

1 **prohibit a policy, program, or order of a political subdivision that:**
2 **(1) encourages a diversion program; or**
3 **(2) encourages or requires providing housing or shelter**
4 **services in lieu of a citation or arrest.**
5 **(b) A policy, program, or order described in subsection (a) may**
6 **not allow a person to remain in the area described in section**
7 **(1)(c)(3) of this chapter beyond the forty-eight (48) hour period of**
8 **time after receiving a warning under section (1)(b) of this**
9 **chapter.".**

(Reference is to SB 285 as printed January 16, 2026.)

Senator CARRASCO