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STAFF SUMMARY OF MEETING

TASK FORCE FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF FACIAL RECOGNITION SERVICES

DATE: February 16, 2024

TIME: 2:00 p.m.

ROOM: SCR 357

Meeting Attendance

Name	Present	Excused
Chris Andrist		E
Steve Beaty	X	
Matt Cook	X	
Christopher Johnson	X	
Margot Kaminski		E
Edward Nelson	X	
Jake Parker	X	
Michael Phibbs	X	
Dalia Ritvo		E
Anaya Robinson	X	
Morgan Klaus Scheuerman	X	
Rep. Brianna Titone	X	
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Sen. Chris Hansen, Chair	X	

The chair called the meeting to order and welcomed fellow members of the task force.

2:00 P.M. – Discussion of Recommendations to Adjust Current Law

At the task force’s meeting on December 13, task force members began a discussion of possible adjustments to current law. In December, the task force discussed the application of current laws to K-12 education, and the separation of law enforcement and educational settings and their use of the technology. Other topics included, but were not limited to, concerns related the use of surveillance in schools, tracking of students, and database information retention.

At this meeting, the task force discussed the implementation of the current law, such as:

1. Costs associated with establishing a repository;
2. Coordination between local and state authorities and reporting agencies; and
3. Establish a custodian of letters of intent.

The task force discussed modifying restrictions for safety and security purposes related to K-12 and higher education while making sure to consider technology-related bias. Task force members discussed the differences between recognition versus detection as well as recording, database storage, and record retention.

2:27 P.M. – Discussion of Bills Pending Before the General Assembly

At the task force’s meeting on December 13, the task force heard about several possible bills related to facial recognition, privacy, and artificial intelligence. As of February 16, several bills, including the bills listed below are pending before the General Assembly:

- [House Bill 24-1147](#): Candidate Election Deepfake Disclosures
- [House Bill 24-1058](#): Protect Privacy of Biological Data
- [House Bill 24-1130](#): Privacy of Biometric Identifiers & Data

Task force members provided their comments on the bills and committee discussion ensued.

3:10 P.M. – Other Business

The committee will meet again on Wednesday, March 20 at 3:30 p.m.

3:16 P.M. Adjourn