

CHAPTER 122

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**CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE**

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**SENATE BILL 00-189**

BY SENATORS Dennis, Blickensderfer, Evans, Perlmutter, and Teck;  
also REPRESENTATIVE Spence.

**AN ACT**

CONCERNING GRAND JURY PROCEEDINGS.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

**SECTION 1.** 16-5-204 (4) (h), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

**16-5-204. Witnesses before a grand jury - procedure.** (4) (h) Any witness summoned to testify before a grand jury, or an attorney for such witness with the witness's written approval, shall be entitled, prior to testifying, to examine and copy at the witness's expense any statement in the possession of the prosecuting attorney or the grand jury which such witness has made TO ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT OR PROSECUTION OFFICIAL OR UNDER AN OATH REQUIRED BY LAW that relates to the subject matter under inquiry by the grand jury. If a witness is proceeding in forma pauperis, he shall be furnished, upon request, a copy of such transcript and shall not pay a fee.

**SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: April 14, 2000

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*Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.*