

SB 5256-S - DIGEST

(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Provides that a coroner or a medical examiner is not prohibited from publicly discussing his or her findings as to any death subject to the jurisdiction of his or her office where actions of a law enforcement officer or corrections officer have been determined to be a proximate cause of the death; except a coroner or medical examiner may not publicly discuss his or her findings outside of formal court or inquest proceedings if there is a pending or active criminal investigation, or a criminal or civil action, concerning a death that has commenced prior to January 1, 2014.