HB 2073 -- Sexual Offender Information

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This bill requires the State Highway Patrol to collect any online identifiers used by a registered sexual offender. "Online identifier" is defined as an electronic mail address and instant message screen name, user ID, cell phone number or wireless communication device number or identifier, chat or other Internet communication name, or other identity information.

The online identifiers will not be included in the general profile of an offender on the registered sexual offender search web site and will only be available to a member of the public by a search using the specific online identifier to determine if a match exists with a registered offender. Subject to appropriations, the patrol will make registry information regarding a registered sexual offender's online identifiers available to a business or organization that provides Internet service, electronic communications service, remote computing service, online service, electronic mail service, or electronic instant message or chat services to allow the entity to prescreen users or for comparison with information held by the business or organization.