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This bill prohibits members and staff of public governmental bodies from downloading or using software designed to send encrypted messages by electronic means that automatically self-destruct on communication devices purchased with public money. The bill also requires members and staff of public governmental bodies to transmit messages relating to public business to the proper custodian of records, and it prohibits the use of the aforementioned software by members and staff of public governmental bodies on their personal electronic devices to destroy messages relating to public business.