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This bill paves the way for officers with bad intentions to surveil that anyone they personally deem "criminal". In the case of murderers or kidnappers this would be a good thing, but my fear is that this would be used against minorities that the Trump administration is obviously targeting. I do not think officers/federal agents need to have the law on their side if they're using drones to look for a reason to arrest, for example, a undocumented person in their own home. Someone they deem a threat, who is really just a human rights advocate. A bad cop stalking an ex-partner or someone he wants to "date". A queer person who is just trying to live with their partner in peace. A good cop who is trying to blow the whistle on bad cops. Please vote no on this bill. The possibilities are not worth it.