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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

House

Senator Latvala moved the following:

Delete line 67

and insert:

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(d) Confidential and exempt proprietary business

6 information must be disclosed to any health professional who 7 requests such information in writing if the health professional 8 provides a written statement of need for the information and 9 control of the statement of th

9 agrees in writing to maintain the confidential and exempt status

10 of the information. The written statement of need shall be a

11 statement that the health professional has a reasonable basis to

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12	believe that:
13	1. The information is needed for purposes of diagnosis or
14	treatment of an individual;
15	2. The individual being diagnosed or treated may have been
16	exposed to a chemical considered confidential and exempt
17	proprietary business information; and
18	3. Knowledge of a chemical considered confidential and
19	exempt proprietary business information will assist in such
20	diagnosis or treatment.
21	(e) Confidential and exempt proprietary business
22	information must be immediately disclosed to any health
23	professional if the health professional determines a medical
24	emergency exists and the confidential and exempt proprietary
25	business information is necessary for emergency treatment. The
26	health professional must verbally acknowledge that such
27	information shall be kept confidential and not be used for
28	purposes other than the health needs asserted.
29	(f) Confidential and exempt proprietary business
30	information must be immediately disclosed to any first responder
31	as defined in s. 112.1815(1) if the first responder determines
32	an emergency exists and the confidential and exempt proprietary
33	business information is necessary to assess and respond to the
34	emergency. The first responder must verbally acknowledge that
35	such information shall be kept confidential and not be used for
36	purposes other than to assess and respond to the emergency.
37	(g) Information disclosed to a health professional or
38	emergency responder shall not become part of the chemical
39	disclosure registry and shall in no way be construed as publicly
40	available.

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(h) This subsection is subject to the Open Government