THE FLORIDA SENATE 2016 SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION PASSED

Committee on Health Policy

SB 7020 — OGSR/Florida Health Choices Program/Florida Health Choices, Inc.

by Health Policy Committee

The bill reenacts existing public records exemptions for:

- Personal, identifying information of an enrollee or participant who has applied for or participates in the Florida Health Choices Program;
- Client and customer lists of a buyer's representative held by the Florida Health Choices Corporation; and
- Proprietary confidential business information of a vendor held by the corporation.

The information under the exemption is both confidential and exempt from s. 119.071(1), F.S., and Art. 1, s. 24(a), State Constitution.

The bill also continues the retroactive application of the exemption to protect information that was held by the corporation prior to initial enactment of the exemption.

If approved by the Governor, these provisions take effect October 1, 2016.

Vote: Senate 36-0; House 112-0

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