

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to public records; amending s.
119.07, F.S.; abrogating the repeal scheduled
under the Open Government Sunset Review Act of
1995 of the exemption from the public-records
requirements for bank account numbers or debit,
charge, or credit card numbers given to an
agency for payment of a fee or debt; providing
an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (z) of subsection (3) of section
119.07, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

119.07 Inspection, examination, and duplication of
records; exemptions.--

(3)

(z) Bank account numbers or debit, charge, or credit
card numbers given to an agency for the purpose of payment of
any fee or debt owing are confidential and exempt from
subsection (1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.
However, such numbers may be used by an agency, as needed, in
any administrative or judicial proceeding, provided such
numbers are kept confidential and exempt, unless otherwise
ordered by the court. ~~This paragraph is subject to the Open
Government Sunset Review Act of 1995 in accordance with s.
119.15, and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2001, unless
reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the
Legislature.~~

Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2001.

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SENATE SUMMARY

Abrogates the repeal scheduled under the Open Government
Sunset Review Act of 1995 of the exemption from the
public records requirements for bank account numbers or
debt, charge, or credit card numbers given to an agency
for the payment of a fee or debt.