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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Kendrick offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

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6 Section 1. Paragraph (i) of subsection (3) of section
7 119.07, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

8 119.07 Inspection, examination, and duplication of
9 records; exemptions.--

10 (3)

11 (i)1. The home addresses, telephone numbers, social
12 security numbers, and photographs of active or former law
13 enforcement personnel, including correctional and correctional
14 probation officers, personnel of the Department of Children and
15 Family Services whose duties include the investigation of abuse,
16 neglect, exploitation, fraud, theft, or other criminal

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17 activities, personnel of the Department of Health whose duties
18 are to support the investigation of child abuse or neglect, and
19 personnel of the Department of Revenue or local governments
20 whose responsibilities include revenue collection and
21 enforcement or child support enforcement; the home addresses,
22 telephone numbers, social security numbers, photographs, and
23 places of employment of the spouses and children of such
24 personnel; and the names and locations of schools and day care
25 facilities attended by the children of such personnel are exempt
26 from the provisions of subsection (1). The home addresses,
27 telephone numbers, and photographs of firefighters certified in
28 compliance with s. 633.35; the home addresses, telephone
29 numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the spouses
30 and children of such firefighters; and the names and locations
31 of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of
32 such firefighters are exempt from subsection (1). The home
33 addresses and telephone numbers of justices of the Supreme
34 Court, district court of appeal judges, circuit court judges,
35 and county court judges; the home addresses, telephone numbers,
36 and places of employment of the spouses and children of justices
37 and judges; and the names and locations of schools and day care
38 facilities attended by the children of justices and judges are
39 exempt from the provisions of subsection (1). The home
40 addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, and
41 photographs of current or former state attorneys, assistant
42 state attorneys, statewide prosecutors, or assistant statewide
43 prosecutors; the home addresses, telephone numbers, social
44 security numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the

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45 spouses and children of current or former state attorneys,
46 assistant state attorneys, statewide prosecutors, or assistant
47 statewide prosecutors; and the names and locations of schools
48 and day care facilities attended by the children of current or
49 former state attorneys, assistant state attorneys, statewide
50 prosecutors, or assistant statewide prosecutors are exempt from
51 subsection (1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

52 2. The home addresses, telephone numbers, social security
53 numbers, and photographs of current or former human resource,
54 labor relations, or employee relations directors, assistant
55 directors, managers, or assistant managers of any local
56 government agency or water management district whose duties
57 include hiring and firing employees, labor contract negotiation,
58 administration, or other personnel-related duties; the names,
59 home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers,
60 photographs, and places of employment of the spouses and
61 children of such personnel; and the names and locations of
62 schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such
63 personnel are exempt from subsection (1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of
64 the State Constitution. This subparagraph is subject to the Open
65 Government Sunset Review Act of 1995 in accordance with s.
66 119.15, and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2006, unless
67 reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the
68 Legislature.

69 3. The home addresses, telephone numbers, social security
70 numbers, and photographs of current or former code enforcement
71 officers; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, social
72 security numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the

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73 spouses and children of such persons; and the names and
74 locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the
75 children of such persons are exempt from subsection (1) and s.
76 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. This subparagraph is
77 subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act of 1995 in
78 accordance with s. 119.15, and shall stand repealed on October
79 2, 2006, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through
80 reenactment by the Legislature.

81 4.a. The home addresses, telephone numbers, social
82 security numbers, and photographs of active or former emergency
83 medical technicians or paramedics certified in compliance with
84 chapter 401; the home addresses, telephone numbers, social
85 security numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the
86 spouses and children of such emergency medical technicians and
87 paramedics; and the names and locations of schools and day care
88 facilities attended by children of such emergency medical
89 technicians and paramedics are exempt from subsection (1) and s.
90 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution upon written request by
91 the emergency medical technician or paramedic, which must
92 include official verification that the emergency medical
93 technician or paramedic has received a work-related threat to
94 his or her life, health, or safety or to the life, health, or
95 safety of a member of his or her family.

96 b. This subparagraph is subject to the Open Government
97 Sunset Review Act of 1995 in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall
98 stand repealed on October 2, 2009, unless reviewed and saved
99 from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

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100 5.4. An agency that is the custodian of the personal
101 information specified in subparagraph 1., subparagraph 2., ~~or~~
102 subparagraph 3., or subparagraph 4. and that is not the employer
103 of the officer, employee, justice, judge, or other person
104 specified in subparagraph 1., subparagraph 2., ~~or~~ subparagraph
105 3., or subparagraph 4. shall maintain the confidentiality of the
106 personal information only if the officer, employee, justice,
107 judge, other person, or employing agency of the designated
108 employee submits a written request for confidentiality to the
109 custodial agency.

110 Section 2. The Legislature finds that it is a public
111 necessity that the home addresses, telephone numbers, social
112 security numbers, and photographs of active or former emergency
113 medical technicians or paramedics certified in compliance with
114 chapter 401, Florida Statutes, the home addresses, telephone
115 numbers, social security numbers, photographs, and places of
116 employment of the spouses and the children of such emergency
117 medical technicians and paramedics, and the names and locations
118 of schools and day care facilities attended by children of such
119 emergency medical technicians and paramedics be held exempt from
120 public disclosure upon written request by the emergency medical
121 technician or paramedic, which must include official
122 verification that the emergency medical technician or paramedic
123 has received a work-related threat to his or her life, health,
124 or safety or to the life, health, or safety of a member of his
125 or her family. Emergency medical technicians and paramedics
126 provide a valuable service to the community. They interact with
127 victims of illness or violence every day of their careers.

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128 Emergency medical technicians and paramedics must respond to all
129 types of emergencies and are required to provide services to
130 varying populations at varying locales. The capacity in which
131 they work with injured or ill victims does not always create
132 good will. A victim who experiences a negative outcome due to
133 medical treatment could feel ill will towards an emergency
134 medical technician or paramedic. An ill or injured person might
135 not agree with the course of treatment such person receives from
136 an emergency medical technician or paramedic. As such,
137 emergency medical technicians or paramedics, or the spouses and
138 children of such technicians or paramedics, could become
139 potential targets for acts of revenge. In addition, emergency
140 medical technicians and paramedics are called as witnesses in
141 court proceedings for crimes such as arson. The testimony of a
142 technician or paramedic could create a safety risk. Therefore,
143 if the information specified in this act continues to be
144 available to the public, the safety and welfare of emergency
145 medical technicians and paramedics, and their spouses and
146 children, could be seriously jeopardized. Accordingly, it is a
147 public necessity that identifying and location information of
148 such technicians and paramedics, and their spouses and children,
149 be made exempt from public disclosure upon written request by
150 the emergency medical technician or paramedic and official
151 verification that the emergency medical technician or paramedic
152 has received a work-related threat to his or her life, health,
153 or safety or to the life, health, or safety of a member of his
154 or her family.

155 Section 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

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Remove the entire title and insert:

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to a public records exemption; amending s. 119.07, F.S.; creating an exemption from public records requirements for the home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, and photographs of active or former emergency medical technicians or paramedics certified in compliance with chapter 401, the home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the spouses and children of such emergency medical technicians and paramedics, and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such emergency medical technicians and paramedics, upon written request by the emergency medical technician or paramedic, which must include official verification that the emergency medical technician or paramedic has received a work-related threat to his or her life, health, or safety or to the life, health, or safety of a member of his or her family; providing for future review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.