## CHAMBER ACTION

The Committee on State Administration recommends the following:

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## Committee Substitute

Remove the entire bill and insert:

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## A bill to be entitled

An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.07, F.S.; creating an exemption from public records requirements; providing for the confidentiality of personal identifying information contained in records for United States attorneys, assistant United States attorneys, judges of the United States Courts of Appeal, United States district judges, United States magistrate judges, and their spouses and children; providing for future repeal and legislative review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act of 1995; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

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

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

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

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The home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, and photographs of active or former law enforcement personnel, including correctional and correctional probation officers, personnel of the Department of Children and Family Services whose duties include the investigation of abuse, neglect, exploitation, fraud, theft, or other criminal activities, personnel of the Department of Health whose duties are to support the investigation of child abuse or neglect, and personnel of the Department of Revenue or local governments whose responsibilities include revenue collection and enforcement or child support enforcement; the home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the spouses and children of such personnel; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such personnel are exempt from the provisions of subsection (1). The home addresses, telephone numbers, and photographs of firefighters certified in compliance with s. 633.35; the home addresses, telephone numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the spouses and children of such firefighters; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such firefighters are exempt from subsection (1). The home addresses and telephone numbers of justices of the Supreme Court, district court of appeal judges, circuit court judges, and county court judges; the home addresses, telephone numbers,

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and places of employment of the spouses and children of justices and judges; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of justices and judges are exempt from the provisions of subsection(1). The home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, and photographs of current or former state attorneys, assistant state attorneys, statewide prosecutors, or assistant statewide prosecutors; the home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the spouses and children of current or former state attorneys, assistant state attorneys, statewide prosecutors, or assistant statewide prosecutors; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of current or former state attorneys, assistant state attorneys, statewide prosecutors, or assistant statewide prosecutors are exempt from subsection (1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

2. The home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, and photographs of current or former human resource, labor relations, or employee relations directors, assistant directors, managers, or assistant managers of any local government agency or water management district whose duties include hiring and firing employees, labor contract negotiation, administration, or other personnel-related duties; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the spouses and children of such personnel; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such personnel are exempt from subsection (1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of

the State Constitution. This subparagraph is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act of 1995 in accordance with s. 119.15, and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2006, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

- 3. The home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, and photographs of current or former United States attorneys and assistant United States attorneys; the home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the spouses and children of current or former United States attorneys and assistant United States attorneys; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of current or former United States attorneys and assistant United States attorneys and assistant United States attorneys are exempt from subsection (1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. This subparagraph is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act of 1995 in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2009, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.
- 4. The home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, and photographs of current or former judges of the United States Courts of Appeal, United States district judges, and United States magistrate judges; the home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the spouses and children of current or former judges of United States Courts of Appeal, United States district judges, and United States magistrate judges; and the

names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of current or former judges of United States

Courts of Appeal, United States district judges, and United

States magistrate judges are exempt from subsection (1) and s.

24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. This subparagraph is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act of 1995 in accordance with s. 119.15, and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2009, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

- 5.3. The home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, and photographs of current or former code enforcement officers; the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, photographs, and places of employment of the spouses and children of such persons; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of such persons are exempt from subsection (1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. This subparagraph is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act of 1995 in accordance with s. 119.15, and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2006, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.
- <u>6.4.</u> An agency that is the custodian of the personal information specified in subparagraph 1., subparagraph 2., or subparagraph 3., subparagraph 4., or subparagraph 5., and that is not the employer of the officer, employee, justice, judge, or other person specified in subparagraph 1., subparagraph 2., or subparagraph 3., subparagraph 4., or subparagraph 5., shall maintain the confidentiality of the personal information only if

the officer, employee, justice, judge, other person, or employing agency of the designated employee submits a written request for confidentiality to the custodial agency.

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The Legislature finds that the exemption from public records requirements provided for by this act for identifying and locating information relating to current and former United States attorneys, assistant United States attorneys, judges of the United States Courts of Appeal, United States district judges, United States magistrate judges, and their families is a public necessity. Current and former United States attorneys, assistant United States attorneys, judges of the United States Courts of Appeal, United States district judges, and United States magistrate judges interact with accused and convicted criminals every day of their careers. The capacity in which they deal with the accused and the convicted does not create good will among the accused, the convicted, their associates, or their families. United States attorneys and assistant United States attorneys determine the severity of the charges brought, file charges against the accused, and prosecute alleged criminals every day. Further, current and former judges of the United States Courts of Appeal, United States district judges, and United States magistrate judges make rulings during trials, impose sentences on the convicted, or review cases from other courts. As such, the duties of these current or former attorneys and judges do not create good will among the accused, the convicted, their associates, and families, and make those federal attorneys and judges potential targets for acts of revenge. Further, their duties make their spouses and children

potential targets for acts of revenge. If identifying or
location information were available, the safety and welfare of
federal attorneys and judges, and their spouses and children,
could be seriously jeopardized. Accordingly, it is a public
necessity that identifying and personal information be made
exempt. Thus, the Legislature finds there to be a public
necessity to protect identifying and locating information of
current and former United States attorneys and assistant United
States attorneys, judges of the United States Courts of Appeal,
United States district judges, and United States magistrate
judges, and their spouses and children.
Section 3. This act shall take effect October 1, 2004.