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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to a public records exemption; amending s. 119.07, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, and photographs of children who participate in government-sponsored recreation programs or camps, the names and locations of the schools attended by such children, and the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, and social security numbers of the parents or guardians of such children; providing for future review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

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

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

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

(3)

(hh) The names, home addresses, telephone numbers, social security numbers, and photographs of children who participate in government-sponsored recreation programs or camps; the names and locations of the schools attended by such children; and the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, and social security numbers of parents or guardians of children who participate in government-sponsored recreation programs or camps are exempt

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29 from subsection (1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
30 Constitution.

31 Section 2. Paragraph (hh) of subsection (3) of s. 119.07,
32 Florida Statutes, is subject to the Open Government Sunset
33 Review Act of 1995 in accordance with s. 119.15, Florida
34 Statutes, and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2009, unless
35 reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the
36 Legislature.

37 Section 3. The Legislature finds that it is a public
38 necessity that the names, home addresses, telephone numbers,
39 social security numbers, and photographs of children who
40 participate in government-sponsored recreation programs or
41 camps, the names and locations of the schools attended by such
42 children, and the names, home addresses, telephone numbers, and
43 social security numbers of the parents or guardians of such
44 children be held confidential and exempt from public records
45 requirements because revealing such information could create the
46 opportunity for the stalking, harassment, abduction, or abuse of
47 such children.

48 Section 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.