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1 A bill to be entitled  
2 An act relating to a review under the Open  
3 Government Sunset Review Act; amending s.  
4 626.921, F.S., relating to an exemption from  
5 public-records requirements for certain  
6 information concerning surplus lines insurance  
7 which is specific to a particular policy or  
8 policyholder and is submitted to the Department  
9 of Financial Services or the Florida Surplus  
10 Lines Service Office or which is available for  
11 inspection by the department; saving the  
12 exemption from repeal under the Open Government  
13 Sunset Review Act; deleting provisions that  
14 provide for the repeal of the exemption;  
15 providing an effective date.

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

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19 Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (8) of section  
20 626.921, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

21 626.921 Florida Surplus Lines Service Office.--  
22 (8)

23 (b) Information furnished to the Florida Surplus Lines  
24 Service Office under the Surplus Lines Law is confidential and  
25 exempt from the provisions of s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art.  
26 I of the State Constitution if the disclosure of the  
27 information would reveal information specific to a particular  
28 policy or policyholder. This exemption does not prevent the  
29 disclosure of any information by the Florida Surplus Lines  
30 Service Office to the department, but the exemption applies to  
31 records obtained by the department from the Florida Surplus

1 | Lines Service Office. The exemption does not apply to any  
2 | proceeding instituted by the department or office against an  
3 | agent or insurer. ~~This paragraph is subject to the Open~~  
4 | ~~Government Sunset Review Act of 1995 in accordance with s.~~  
5 | ~~119.15, and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2006, unless~~  
6 | ~~reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the~~  
7 | ~~Legislature.~~

8 |           Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2006.

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11 |                                   SENATE SUMMARY

12 | Removes the repeal of an exemption from public-records  
13 | requirements provided for information concerning surplus  
14 | lines insurance which is specific to a particular policy  
15 | or policyholder.