

Bill No. SB 1042



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CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
Comm: RCS	.	
3/5/2008	.	
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1 The Committee on Judiciary (Baker) recommended the following  
 2 **amendment:**

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 4 **Senate Amendment (with title amendments)**

5 Delete line(s) 18-41,  
 6 and insert:

7 (1) All information contained in the Florida Putative  
 8 Father Registry ~~and maintained by the Office of Vital Statistics~~  
 9 ~~within the Department of Health~~ is confidential and exempt from  
 10 ~~public disclosure pursuant to s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I~~  
 11 ~~of the State Constitution, except as otherwise provided in this~~  
 12 ~~section.~~

13 (2) Information made confidential and exempt by this  
 14 section shall be disclosed to:



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15 (a) An adoption entity, upon the filing of a request for a  
16 diligent search of the Florida Putative Father Registry in  
17 connection with the planned adoption of a child.

18 (b) The registrant unmarried biological father, upon  
19 receipt of a notarized request for a copy of his registry entry  
20 only.

21 (c) The birth mother, upon receipt of a notarized request  
22 for a copy of any registry entry in which she is identified as  
23 the birth mother.

24 (d) ~~(e)~~ The court, upon issuance of a court order  
25 concerning a petitioner acting pro se in an action under this  
26 chapter.

27 (3) ~~(2)~~ ~~Except as set forth in subsection (1),~~ The database  
28 comprising the Florida Putative Father Registry shall remain  
29 ~~confidential and exempt and separate from all other databases in~~  
30 ~~this state, including any local or federal database. Such~~  
31 ~~database may not be accessed by any other state or federal~~  
32 ~~agency or entity.~~

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34 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

35 And the title is amended as follows:

36 On line(s) 8, after the semicolon,  
37 insert:

38 removing superfluous language;