

By the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability;
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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to a review under the Open Government
3 Sunset Review Act regarding campaign finance reports;
4 amending s. 106.0706, F.S., relating to an exemption
5 from public-records requirements for user
6 identifications and passwords held by the Department
7 of State and information entered into the department's
8 electronic filing system in connection with the
9 electronic filing of campaign finance reports;
10 reorganizing the exemption and clarifying provisions;
11 saving the exemption from repeal under the Open
12 Government sunset Review Act; removing the scheduled
13 repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.
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15 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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17 Section 1. Section 106.0706, Florida Statutes, is amended
18 to read:

19 106.0706 Electronic filing of campaign finance reports;
20 public-records exemption ~~confidentiality of information and~~
21 ~~draft reports.~~-

22 (1) All user identifications and passwords held by the
23 Department of State pursuant to s. 106.0705 are confidential and
24 exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
25 Constitution.

26 (2) (a) Information entered ~~All records, reports, and files~~
27 ~~stored~~ in the electronic filing system for purposes of
28 generating a report pursuant to s. 106.0705 is ~~are~~ exempt from
29 s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

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30 (b) Information entered in the electronic filing system is
31 no longer exempt once the report is generated and until such
32 time as the report has been submitted as a filed with the
33 Division of Elections report. This section is subject to the
34 Open Government Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15
35 and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2009, unless reviewed and
36 saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

37 Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2009.