

By Senator Altman

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1 A bill to be entitled

2 An act relating to public records and public meetings
3 exemptions; amending s. 383.412, F.S.; eliminating
4 requirements that the closed portion of a meeting of
5 the State Child Abuse Death Review Committee or a
6 local committee at which specified identifying
7 information is discussed be recorded, that no portion
8 of such closed meeting be off the record, and that the
9 recording be maintained by the state committee or a
10 local committee; providing an effective date.

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

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14 Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 383.412, Florida
15 Statutes, is reenacted and subsection (3) of that section is
16 amended to read:

17 383.412 Public records and public meetings exemptions.—

18 (2) (a) Any information that reveals the identity of the
19 surviving siblings, family members, or others living in the home
20 of a deceased child who is the subject of review by and which
21 information is held by the State Child Abuse Death Review
22 Committee or a local committee is confidential and exempt from
23 s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

24 (b) Information made confidential or exempt from s.
25 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution that is
26 obtained by the State Child Abuse Death Review Committee or a
27 local committee shall retain its confidential or exempt status.

28 (3) (a) Portions of meetings of the State Child Abuse Death
29 Review Committee or a local committee at which information made

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30 confidential and exempt pursuant to subsection (2) is discussed
31 are exempt from s. 286.011 and s. 24(b), Art. I of the State
32 Constitution. ~~The closed portion of a meeting must be recorded,~~
33 ~~and no portion of the closed meeting may be off the record. The~~
34 ~~recording shall be maintained by the State Child Abuse Death~~
35 ~~Review Committee or a local committee.~~

36 (b) A ~~The~~ recording of a closed portion of a meeting is
37 exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State
38 Constitution.

39 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.