

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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1 Representative Slosberg offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

5 Section 1. Subsection (9) is added to section 119.07,  
6 Florida Statutes, to read:

7 119.07 Inspection and copying of records; photographing  
8 public records; fees; exemptions.-

9 (9) If an agency files an action for declaratory judgment  
10 for a declaration that certain public records are exempt, or  
11 confidential and exempt, from subsection (1) and s. 24(a), Art.  
12 I of the State Constitution, and the court determines that the  
13 records are either not exempt or not confidential and exempt,

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14 the court must assess the reasonable costs of enforcement,  
15 including reasonable attorney fees, against the responsible  
16 agency for the benefit of the named respondent.

17 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019.

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Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:

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A bill to be entitled

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An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.07,

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F.S.; requiring a court to assess the reasonable costs

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of enforcement against an agency upon the court's

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determination in an action for a declaratory judgment

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that certain records are not subject to a public

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records exemption; providing an effective date.

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