

Amendment No. 1

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED _____ (Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED _____ (Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION _____ (Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT _____ (Y/N)
WITHDRAWN _____ (Y/N)
OTHER _____

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Government Operations
2 Subcommittee

3 Representative McClure offered the following:
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5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

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

9 119.07 Inspection and copying of records; photographing
10 public records; fees; exemptions.—

11 (9) After receiving a request to inspect or copy a record,
12 an agency may not respond to that request by filing an action
13 for declaratory relief against the requester to determine
14 whether the record is a public record as defined by s. 119.011,
15 or the status of the record as confidential or exempt from the
16 provisions of s. 119.07(1).

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17 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2021.

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Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:

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An act relating to requests for public records; amending s.

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119.07, F.S.; prohibiting an agency that receives a request to

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inspect or copy a record from responding to such request by

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filing an action for declaratory relief against the requester;

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providing an effective date.