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Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

Representative Hunschofsky offered the following:

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Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert: Section 1. Section 490.0076, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

490.0076 Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact; public records and meeting exemptions.—

(1) A psychologist's personal identifying information, other than the psychologist's name, licensure status, or licensure number, obtained from the coordinated licensure information system, as described in article IX of s. 490.0075, and held by the department or the Board of Psychology is exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution

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unless the state that originally reported the information to the coordinated information system authorizes the disclosure of such information by law. If disclosure is so authorized, information may be disclosed only to the extent authorized by law by the reporting state.

- (2) (a) A meeting or a portion of a meeting of the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission, established in article X of s. 490.0075 at which matters specifically exempted from disclosure by federal or state statute are discussed is exempt from s. 286.011 and s. 24(b), Art. I of the State Constitution.
- (b) Recordings, minutes, and records generated during an exempt meeting or portion of such a meeting are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.
- (3) This section is subject to the Open Government Sunset

  Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed
  on October 2, 2027, unless reviewed and saved from repeal
  through reenactment by the Legislature.

Section 2. (1) The Legislature finds that it is a public necessity that a psychologist's personal identifying information, other than the psychologist's name, licensure status, or licensure number, obtained from the coordinated licensure information system, as described in article IX of s. 490.0075, Florida Statutes, and held by the Department of Health or the Board of Psychology, be made exempt from s. 119.07(1),

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Florida Statutes, and s. 24(a), Article I of the State
Constitution. Protection of such information is required under
the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact, which the state must
adopt in order to become a member state of the compact. Without
the public records exemption, this state will be unable to
effectively and efficiently implement and administer the
compact.

- (2) (a) The Legislature finds that it is a public necessity that any meeting of the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission held as provided in s. 490.0075, Florida Statutes, in which matters specifically exempted from disclosure by federal or state law are discussed be made exempt from s. 286.011, Florida Statutes, and s. 24(b), Article I of the State Constitution.
- (b) The Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact requires
  the closure of any meeting, or any portion of a meeting, of the
  Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission in which the
  substance of paragraph (a) is discussed to be closed to the
  public. In the absence of a public meeting exemption, this state
  would be prohibited from becoming a member state of the compact.
  Thus, this state will be unable to effectively and efficiently
  administer the compact.
- (3) The Legislature also finds that it is a public necessity that the recordings, minutes, and records generated during a meeting that is exempt pursuant to s. 490.0076(2),

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Florida Statutes, be made exempt from s. 119.07(1), Florida
Statutes, and s. 24(a), Article I of the State Constitution.
Release of such information would negate the public meeting
exemption. As such, the Legislature finds that the public
records exemption is a public necessity.

Section 3. This act shall take effect on the same date that HB 953 or similar legislation takes effect if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law.

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