By Senator Rouson

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An act relating to electronic payment of public records fees; amending s. 119.07, F.S.; requiring an agency subject to ch. 119, F.S., to provide an electronic option for payment of fees associated with a public records request; providing an effective date.

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

- Section 1. Present subsections (5) through (9) of section 119.07, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as subsections (6) through (10), respectively, and a new subsection (5) is added to that section, to read:
- 119.07 Inspection and copying of records; photographing public records; fees; exemptions.—
- (5) An agency shall provide an electronic option for the payment of any fee associated with a request to inspect or copy public records.
 - Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.