

House Bill No. 7021

An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act regarding councils on children's services and juvenile welfare boards; amending s. 125.901, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for personal identifying information of a child, or the parent or guardian of the child, held by a council on children's services, juvenile welfare board, or other similar entity, or held by a service provider or researcher under contract with such entity; making editorial changes; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (11) of section 125.901, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

125.901 Children's services; independent special district; council; powers, duties, and functions; public records exemption.—

(11)(a) Personal identifying information of a child or the ~~child's~~ parent or guardian of the child, held by a council on children's services ~~service council~~, juvenile welfare board, or other similar entity created under this section or by special law, or held by a service provider or researcher under contract with such entity, is exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. This exemption applies to such ~~personal identifying~~ information held before, on, ~~before~~, or after the effective date of this exemption.

~~(b) This subsection is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15, and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2009, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.~~

Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2009.

Approved by the Governor June 10, 2009.

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