CHAPTER 2013-97

House Bill No. 7143

An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 292.055, F.S., which provides an exemption from public record and public meeting requirements for information identifying certain donors to the direct-support organization for the Department of Veterans' Affairs; removing superfluous language; specifying that the public meeting exemption applies to those portions of meetings wherein the identity of a donor or prospective donor whose identity is confidential and exempt is discussed; 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 (9) of section 292.055, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

292.055 Direct-support organization.—

(9) CONFIDENTIALITY OF DONORS.—

(a) <u>Any information identifying The identity of</u> a donor or prospective donor to the direct-support organization who desires to remain anonymous, and all information identifying such donor or prospective donor, is confidential and exempt from the provisions of s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution.

(b) Portions of meetings of the direct-support organization during which the identity of <u>a donor</u> donors or prospective <u>donor</u>, whose identity is <u>confidential and exempt pursuant to paragraph (a)</u>, donors is discussed are exempt from the provisions of s. 286.011 and s. 24(b), Art. I of the State Constitution.

(c) This subsection is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2013, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2013.

Approved by the Governor May 30, 2013.

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1 CODING: Words stricken are deletions; words <u>underlined</u> are additions.