
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to
Original House Bill No. 321 by Representative Villio

1 AMENDMENT NO. 12 On page 1, line 3, after "5993," and before "relative" insert "and Children's Code Article
3 412(N),"4 AMENDMENT NO. 25 On page 1, line 5, after "identification of" and before "to provide" change "records and
6 databases;" to "minute entries;"7 AMENDMENT NO. 38 On page 1, line 6, after "access of" and before "to require" change "identified records and
9 databases;" to "minute entries"10 AMENDMENT NO. 411 On page 1, line 7, after "access to" and before "to require" change "records and databases;"
12 to "minute entries;"13 AMENDMENT NO. 514 On page 1, line 8, after "program;" and before "to provide for" insert "to provide relative to
15 the confidentiality of certain juvenile records; to provide relative to immunity from
16 prosecution;"17 AMENDMENT NO. 618 On page 2, line 1, after "various" and before "evidencing" delete "documents, records, and
19 databases" and insert "minute entries"20 AMENDMENT NO. 721 On page 2, line 4, after "review" and before "for" delete "these documents, records, and
22 databases" and insert "minute entries"23 AMENDMENT NO. 824 On page 2, line 14, delete "documents, records, and databases" and insert "minute entries"25 AMENDMENT NO. 926 On page 2, line 25, after "access to" and before "involving" delete "its documents, records,
27 and databases" and insert "all minute entries as defined in Subsection E of this Section"28 AMENDMENT NO. 1029 On page 2, line 27, after "access to" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of
30 line 28, delete "and databases" and insert "minute entries"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 11

2 On page 3, line 4, after "access to" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of
3 line 5, delete "databases" and insert "all minute entries as defined in Subsection E of this
4 Section"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 12

6 On page 3, line 7, after "access to" and before "involving" delete "its documents, records,
7 and databases" and insert "minute entries"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 13

9 On page 3, line 11, after "access to" and before "involving" delete "its documents, records,
10 and databases" and insert "all minute entries as defined in Subsection E of this Section"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 14

12 On page 3, line 13, after "access to" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning of
13 line 14, delete "records, and databases" and insert "minute entries"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 15

15 On page 3, line 19, after "clerk of court for the" and before "Criminal District Court" insert
16 "Juvenile Court or the"

17 AMENDMENT NO. 16

18 On page 3, at the end of line 20, delete "its" and at the beginning of line 21, delete
19 "documents, records, and databases" and insert "all minute entries as defined in Subsection
20 E of this Section"

21 AMENDMENT NO. 17

22 On page 4, line 5, delete "documents, records, and databases" and insert "minute entries"

23 AMENDMENT NO. 18

24 On page 4, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

25 "E. For purposes of this Section, the term "minute entries" shall include but
26 not be limited to the following:

27 (1) Any information available regarding arrest or summons information
28 relative to the defendant.

29 (2) Any custody or bail decisions.

30 (3) The filing, amendment, or dismissal of criminal charges.

31 (4) Hearings on all motions or status conferences held in the matter.

32 (5) Trial or adjudication proceedings.

33 (6) Court or jury decisions on guilt or adjudication.

34 (7) Any sentencing hearings, including the specific sentence or sentences
35 imposed on each count or adjudication.

36 (8) The date of the court proceeding.

37 (9) Identity of the judge presiding.

38 (10) Identity of the prosecutor present.

39 (11) Identity of the defendant.

40 (12) Identity of defense counsel, if counsel is present.

41 (13) Any other individuals participating in the proceedings, unless the court
42 or existing law prohibits the disclosure of the identity of such individuals.

1 F. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the clerks of court
2 identified in Subsection B of this Section and the Department of Justice shall be
3 immune from suits arising from any acts or omissions related to compliance with the
4 provisions of this Section. The provisions of this Section shall be construed to limit,
5 withdraw, or overturn any other applicable defense or immunity."

6 AMENDMENT NO. 19

7 On page 4, between lines 24 and 25, insert the following:

8 "Section 2. Children's Code Article 412(N) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

9 Art. 412. Confidentiality of records; disclosure exceptions; sanctions
10 * * *

11 N. This Article shall not apply to Subparagraph (B)(1) of Article 879, in
12 which those records and reports shall be made available to the public. Records and
13 reports pertaining to the medical records of the juvenile, the mental health of the
14 juvenile, social records of the juvenile, and any records related to the victim of the
15 crime shall not be made available to the public."

16 AMENDMENT NO. 20

17 On page 4, at the beginning of line 25, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."