
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2022 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to
Original House Bill No. 615 by Representative Freeman

1 AMENDMENT NO. 12 Delete House Committee Amendment No. 6 by the House Committee on House and
3 Governmental Affairs (#4171)4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 2, line 15, delete lines 15 through 24 and insert the following:

6 "K.(1) Unless prohibited by federal law or state law not contained in this
7 Title, if a victim of a sex offense or his designated family member requests an
8 opportunity to review or copy any portion of records related to the offense against
9 the victim, the agency shall allow the victim or his designated family member to
10 review and copy the records unless the agency certifies in writing that the matter is
11 subject to actual or reasonably anticipated criminal litigation.12 (2) Any document that an agency provides to any defendant after prosecution
13 of a sex offense has been initiated shall, upon request from the victim or a designated
14 family member, also be made available for review and copying by the requestor
15 unless the agency certifies in writing that the records are being withheld because
16 information in them could materially affect the prosecution or a related investigation.17 (3) Nothing in this Subsection shall be construed to prohibit an agency from
18 allowing a victim of a sex offense or his family member to review or copy any record
19 related to the offense.20 (4) For purposes of this Subsection:21 (a) "Sex offense" has the same meaning as that provided by R.S. 15:541.22 (b) "Designated family member" and "victim" have the same meanings as
23 that provided by R.S. 46:1842."