HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Original House Bill No. 244 by Representative Lorusso

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

- 2 On page 1, line 5, after "the" and before "and" delete "custodian" and insert "law 3 enforcement agency"
- 4 AMENDMENT NO. 2
- 5 On page 1, line 12, after "department" delete the remainder of the line and at the beginning
- 6 of line 13, delete "<u>enforcement agency's records</u>"
- 7 AMENDMENT NO. 3
- 8 On page 1, line 15, after "<u>number</u>," and before "or" insert "<u>personal e-mail address</u>,"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 4

10 On page 1, at the beginning of line 16, delete "otherwise"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 16, after "confidential" and before the comma "," and insert "by any
 provision of law"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 6

15 On page 1, line 17, after "officer" delete the remainder of the line and insert a comma "," and

"with respect to an investigation of the law enforcement officer or in response to a public
 records request submitted pursuant to R.S. 44:1 et seq."

- 18 AMENDMENT NO. 7
- On page 1, line 19, after "by" delete the remainder of the line and insert "the law
 enforcement officer's employing agency or department,"
- 21 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 8</u>
- 22 On page 1, at the beginning of line 20, delete "<u>of such file</u>,"

23 AMENDMENT NO. 9

- On page 1, line 20, after "<u>the</u>" and before "<u>agency</u>" delete "<u>person</u>," and on the same line after "<u>agency</u>" and before "<u>or</u>" delete the comma ","
- 26 AMENDMENT NO. 10
- On page 2, line 2, after "<u>officer</u>" and before "<u>seventy-two</u>" delete "<u>at least</u>" and insert "<u>no</u>
 <u>more than</u>"
- 29 AMENDMENT NO. 11
- 30 On page 2, line 4, after "law" delete the remainder of the line and insert "The agency or
- 31 department satisfies its legal obligation by making a good faith effort to contact and locate

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CODING: Words in struck through type are deletions from existing law; words <u>underscored</u> are additions.

- 1 its officer or former officer of the pending release utilizing customary avenues of
- 2 <u>communication between the agency or department and law enforcement officers</u>. If no
- 3 written objection is received from the law enforcement officer within seventy-two hours, it
- 4 will be presumed that the law enforcement officer agrees with the proposed release."
- 5 AMENDMENT NO. 12
- 6 On page 2, at the end of line 7, insert "In the event of such a notification, the agency or
- department head, or a person authorized by the agency or department head, shall promptly
 make a final determination as to whether or not such information is required to be released
- 9 and shall immediately notify the officer of the determination."
- 10 AMENDMENT NO. 13
- 11 On page 2, line 8, after "<u>D.</u>" delete the remainder of the line and lines 9 through 13 in their
- 12 entirety and insert "Anyone injured by an unauthorized release of confidential information
- 13 in violation of this Section may request that a court award a civil penalty of not less than one
- 14 <u>hundred dollars and not more than one thousand dollars.</u>"
- 15 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 14</u>
- 16 On page 2, after line 13, insert the following:
- 17 "E. This Section shall in no way restrict the disclosure of any information
 18 requested by the Legislative Auditor or any law enforcement agency, nor shall it
 19 restrict the disclosure of information among the Louisiana Peace Officer Standards
 20 and Training Council, its accredited training academies, Louisiana Peace Officer
 21 Standards and Training Councils outside Louisiana, and any other law enforcement
 22 agencies."