



General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 5879

LCO No. 4440



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION
AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:
(GAE)

***AN ACT EXEMPTING CERTAIN CONTACT INFORMATION FROM
DISCLOSURE UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (b) of section 1-210 of the general statutes is
2 amended by adding subdivision (29) as follows (*Effective October 1,*
3 *2021*):

4 (NEW) (29) Any portion of a list of contact information that contains
5 the residential or mailing address, electronic mail address or telephone
6 number of any individual where such list is (A) created or modified by
7 a member of the General Assembly or such member's staff for purposes
8 related to the member's public office, and (B) in the custody or control
9 of such member or such member's staff, but excluding any sending or
10 receiving electronic mail addresses that are contained in an electronic
11 mail message that are visible to both the senders and recipients of such
12 an electronic mail message.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following
sections:

Section 1	October 1, 2021	1-210(b)
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Statement of Purpose:

To exempt certain contact information in the custody of a member of the General Assembly from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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