

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate
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House

The Committee on Judiciary (Ring) recommended the following: Senate Amendment Delete lines 82 - 107 and insert: (d) The petition and any order entered by the court under this section are confidential and exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution. A petition made confidential and exempt by this paragraph shall be disclosed by the clerk of the court, upon request, to a judge of the circuit, the respondent, a guardian, a health care surrogate or proxy, an

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attorney of record for the respondent, and to any other person

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as directed by order of the court. The clerk of the court may 12 13 not post any personal identifying information on the docket or in publicly accessible files. This paragraph is subject to the 14 15 Open Government Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 16 and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2021, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature. 17 Section 3. Subsection (3) of section 394.467, Florida 18 19 Statutes, is amended to read: 20 394.467 Involuntary inpatient placement.-(3) PETITION FOR INVOLUNTARY INPATIENT PLACEMENT.-21 22 (a) The administrator of the facility shall file a petition 23 for involuntary inpatient placement in the court in the county 24 where the patient is located. Upon filing, the clerk of the 25 court shall provide copies to the department, the patient, the 26 patient's guardian or representative, and the state attorney and 27 public defender of the judicial circuit in which the patient is 28 located. No fee shall be charged for the filing of a petition 29 under this subsection. 30 (b) The petition and any order entered by the court under 31 this section are 32