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Offered by:
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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5748 File No. 453 Cal. No. 304

(As Amended by House Amendment Schedule "A")

**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE COURT SUPPORT SERVICES
DIVISION."**

1 Strike subsection (b) of section 53 in its entirety and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "(b) (1) The following information contained in the registry of
4 protective orders shall not be subject to disclosure and may be
5 accessed only in accordance with this section, unless otherwise
6 ordered by the court: (A) Any information that would identify a
7 person protected by an order contained in the registry; (B) any
8 information that is confidential pursuant to state or federal law,
9 including, but not limited to, any information that is confidential
10 pursuant to a court order; and (C) any information entered in the
11 registry pursuant to an ex parte order prior to a hearing by a court
12 having jurisdiction over the parties and the subject matter.

13 (2) Any employee of the Judicial Department authorized by policies

14 and procedures adopted by the Chief Court Administrator shall have
15 access to such information. The Chief Court Administrator may grant
16 access to such information to personnel of the Department of Public
17 Safety, the Department of Correction, the Board of Parole, the
18 Psychiatric Security Review Board, the Division of Criminal Justice,
19 any municipal or tribal police department within this state or any other
20 agency, organization or person determined by the Chief Court
21 Administrator, pursuant to policies and procedures adopted by the
22 Chief Court Administrator, to have a legitimate interest in the
23 information contained in the registry. Any person who obtains such
24 information pursuant to this subdivision may use and disclose the
25 information only in the performance of such person's duties.

26 (3) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, the
27 information contained in the registry shall be provided to and may be
28 accessed through the Connecticut On-Line Law Enforcement
29 Communications Teleprocessing System maintained by the
30 Department of Public Safety. Nothing in this section shall be construed
31 to permit public access to the Connecticut On-Line Law Enforcement
32 Communications Teleprocessing System."

33 Strike section 54 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu
34 thereof:

35 "Sec. 54. Subsection (e) of section 46b-15 of the general statutes, as
36 amended by section 12 of public act 01-130, is repealed and the
37 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2003*):

38 (e) The applicant shall cause notice of the hearing pursuant to
39 subsection (b) of this section and a copy of the application and of any
40 ex parte order issued pursuant to subsection (b) of this section to be
41 served on the respondent not less than five days before the hearing.
42 Upon the granting of an ex parte order, the clerk of the court shall
43 provide two certified copies of the order to the applicant, [and a copy
44 to the Family Division.] Upon the granting of an order after notice and
45 hearing, the clerk of the court shall provide two certified copies of the

46 order to the applicant [and a copy to the Family Division] and a copy
47 to the respondent. Every order of the court made in accordance with
48 this section after notice and hearing shall contain the following
49 language: "This court had jurisdiction over the parties and the subject
50 matter when it issued this protection order. Respondent was afforded
51 both notice and opportunity to be heard in the hearing that gave rise to
52 this order. Pursuant to the Violence Against Women Act of 1994, 18
53 USC 2265, this order is valid and enforceable in all fifty states, any
54 territory or possession of the United States, the District of Columbia,
55 the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and tribal lands." The clerk of the
56 court shall send, [a certified] by facsimile or other means, a copy of any
57 ex parte order and of any order after notice and hearing, or the
58 information contained in any such order, to the law enforcement
59 agency for the town in which the applicant resides and, if the
60 respondent resides in a town different than the town in which the
61 applicant resides, to the law enforcement agency for the town in which
62 the respondent resides, within forty-eight hours of the issuance of such
63 order. If the applicant is employed in a town different than the town in
64 which the applicant resides, the clerk of the court shall [, upon the
65 request of the applicant, send a certified] send, by facsimile or other
66 means, a copy of any such order, or the information contained in any
67 such order, to the law enforcement agency for the town in which the
68 applicant is employed within forty-eight hours of the issuance of such
69 order."