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Raised Bill No. 5352

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Referred to Committee on Select Committee on Children

Introduced by:
(KID)

**AN ACT CONCERNING FEES FOR CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORDS
CHECKS FOR VOLUNTEERS OF NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS
THAT BENEFIT CHILDREN.**

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

1 Section 1. Section 29-11 of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2004*):

3 (a) The bureau in the Division of State Police within the Department
4 of Public Safety known as the State Police Bureau of Identification shall
5 be maintained for the purposes (1) of providing an authentic record of
6 each person sixteen years of age or over who is charged with the
7 commission of any crime involving moral turpitude, (2) of providing
8 definite information relative to the identity of each person so arrested,
9 (3) of providing a record of the final judgment of the court resulting
10 from such arrest, unless such record has been erased pursuant to
11 section 54-142a, and (4) for maintaining a central repository of
12 complete criminal history record disposition information. The
13 Commissioner of Public Safety is directed to maintain the State Police
14 Bureau of Identification, which bureau shall receive, classify and file in
15 an orderly manner all fingerprints, pictures and descriptions,

16 including previous criminal records as far as known of all persons so
17 arrested, and shall classify and file in a like manner all identification
18 material and records received from the government of the United
19 States and from the various state governments and subdivisions
20 thereof, and shall cooperate with such governmental units in the
21 exchange of information relative to criminals. The State Police Bureau
22 of Identification shall accept fingerprints of applicants for admission to
23 the bar of the state and, to the extent permitted by federal law, shall
24 exchange state, multistate and federal criminal history records with the
25 State Bar Examining Committee for purposes of investigation of the
26 qualifications of any applicant for admission as an attorney under
27 section 51-80. The record of all arrests reported to the bureau after
28 March 16, 1976, shall contain information of any disposition within
29 ninety days after the disposition has occurred.

30 (b) Any cost incurred by the State Police Bureau of Identification in
31 conducting any name search and fingerprinting of applicants for
32 admission to the bar of the state shall be paid from fees collected by the
33 State Bar Examining Committee.

34 (c) The Commissioner of Public Safety shall charge the following
35 fees for the service indicated: (1) Name search, eighteen dollars; (2)
36 fingerprint search, twenty-five dollars; (3) personal record search,
37 twenty-five dollars; (4) letters of good conduct search, twenty-five
38 dollars; (5) bar association search, twenty-five dollars; (6)
39 fingerprinting, five dollars; and (7) criminal history [record
40 information search] records check, twenty-five dollars. Except as
41 provided in subsection (b) of this section, the provisions of this
42 subsection shall not apply to any federal, state or municipal agency or
43 to a criminal history records check required for a person who
44 performs volunteer work with a nonprofit organization that benefits
45 children.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
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Section 1	October 1, 2004
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