



General Assembly

**Amendment**

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To: Senate Bill No. 38

File No. 601

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT  
AND DIVISION OF PUBLIC DEFENDER SERVICES."**

1 Strike section 1 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof  
2 and change any internal references accordingly:

3 "Section 1. Section 1-201 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2011*):

5 For the purposes of subdivision (1) of section 1-200, the Division of  
6 Criminal Justice and the Division of Public Defender Services shall not  
7 be deemed to be [a public agency] public agencies except in respect to  
8 [its] their administrative functions. Nothing in this section shall be  
9 construed to exempt records concerning a complaint filed against a  
10 public defender or special assistant public defender appointed in  
11 accordance with section 51-296, by the client of such public defender or  
12 special assistant public defender from disclosure under the Freedom of  
13 Information Act."

14 In line 35, after "Correction." insert "Nothing in this section shall be  
15 construed to exempt records concerning a complaint filed against a  
16 public defender or special assistant public defender appointed in  
17 accordance with section 51-296, by the client of such public defender or  
18 special assistant public defender from disclosure under the Freedom of  
19 Information Act."