



General Assembly

***Proposed Substitute
Bill No. 388***

February Session, 2014

LCO No. 2360

***AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE TASK
FORCE ON VICTIM PRIVACY AND THE PUBLIC'S RIGHT TO KNOW.***

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

1 Strike lines 265 to 301, inclusive, in their entirety, and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "(c) Whenever a public agency receives a request from any person to
4 copy or receive a copy of any image or audio recording, and the
5 agency reasonably believes that the copying of such image or audio
6 recording could constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal
7 privacy, the agency shall not provide a copy or permit the copying of
8 the requested image or audio recording. Failure to comply with a
9 request to copy or receive a copy of records under this section shall
10 constitute a denial for the purposes of section 1-206 of the general
11 statutes.

12 (d) Whenever a public agency receives a notice of appeal under
13 section 1-206 of the general statutes concerning the public agency's

14 denial of a request to copy or receive a copy of a record under
15 subsection (c) of this section, the public agency shall make a reasonable
16 effort to provide notice of such complaint to the next of kin of the
17 homicide victim who is the subject of such record or, if an audio
18 recording, to any person who is recorded on such audio recording, or
19 the legal representative of such next of kin or person. Any next of kin
20 of the homicide victim who is the subject of such record or, if an audio
21 recording, any person who is recorded on such audio recording, or the
22 legal representative of such next of kin or person, may intervene as a
23 party in such appeal before the Freedom of Information Commission."

24 In line 302, strike "(f)" and insert "(e)" in lieu thereof