

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

Act 726 of the Regular Session

1 State of Arkansas  
2 86th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2007  
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*As Engrossed: S3/22/07*

**A Bill**

SENATE BILL 958

5 By: Senator Madison  
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**For An Act To Be Entitled**

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9 AN ACT TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIAL DEPARTMENT OF  
10 HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES INFORMATION; AND FOR  
11 OTHER PURPOSES.  
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**Subtitle**

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14 AN ACT TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIAL  
15 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
16 INFORMATION.  
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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21 SECTION 1. To protect confidential Department of Health and Human  
22 Services records and information, Arkansas Code § 25-19-105(b) is amended by  
23 amending subdivisions (15) and (16) and adding an additional subdivision (17)  
24 to read as follows:

25 (15) Military service discharge records or DD Form 214, the  
26 Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty of the United States  
27 Department of Defense, filed with the county recorder as provided under § 14-  
28 2-102, for veterans discharged from service less than seventy (70) years from  
29 the current date; ~~and~~

30 (16)(A) Records, including analyses, investigations, studies,  
31 reports, recommendations, requests for proposals, drawings, diagrams,  
32 blueprints, and plans, containing information relating to security for any  
33 public water system.

34 (B) The records shall include:

35 (i) Risk and vulnerability assessments;



- 1 (ii) Plans and proposals for preventing and
- 2 mitigating security risks;
- 3 (iii) Emergency response and recovery records;
- 4 (iv) Security plans and procedures; and
- 5 (v) Any other records containing information that if
- 6 disclosed might jeopardize or compromise efforts to secure and protect the
- 7 public water system.

8 (C) This subdivision (b)(16) shall expire on July 1,

9 2007~~+~~; and

10 (17)(A) Records, including analyses, investigations, studies,

11 reports, or recommendations, containing information relating to any

12 Department of Health and Human Services risk or security assessment, known or

13 suspected security vulnerability, or safeguard related to compliance with the

14 Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act or protection of other

15 confidential Department information.

16 (B) The records shall include:

- 17 (i) Risk and security assessments;
- 18 (ii) Plans and proposals for preventing and
- 19 mitigating privacy and security risks;
- 20 (iii) Emergency response and recovery records;
- 21 (iv) Privacy and security plans and procedures; and
- 22 (v) Any other records containing information that if
- 23 disclosed might jeopardize or compromise efforts to secure and protect
- 24 personal health information or other protected department information.

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26 *SECTION 2. This act expires on July 1, 2009.*

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28 */s/ Madison*

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30 *APPROVED: 3/30/2007*