



## 104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

HB1026

Introduced 1/9/2025, by Rep. John M. Cabello

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 140/7.5  
15 ILCS 305/5.1 new

Amends the Secretary of State Act. Provides that the Office of the Secretary of State shall install and maintain electronic monitoring devices at each entrance to the State Capitol Complex and shall install and maintain safety call boxes around the State Capitol Complex. Provides that any video or audio recording created or maintained under the provision is exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act. Defines terms. Amends the Freedom of Information Act to make a conforming change.

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1 AN ACT concerning State government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 1. This Act may be referred to as the Capitol  
5 Security and Safety Act.

6 Section 5. The Freedom of Information Act is amended by  
7 changing Section 7.5 as follows:

8 (5 ILCS 140/7.5)

9 (Text of Section before amendment by P.A. 103-724)

10 Sec. 7.5. Statutory exemptions. To the extent provided for  
11 by the statutes referenced below, the following shall be  
12 exempt from inspection and copying:

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15 Development Act.

16 (b) Library circulation and order records identifying  
17 library users with specific materials under the Library  
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19 (c) Applications, related documents, and medical  
20 records received by the Experimental Organ Transplantation  
21 Procedures Board and any and all documents or other  
22 records prepared by the Experimental Organ Transplantation

1 Procedures Board or its staff relating to applications it  
2 has received.

3 (d) Information and records held by the Department of  
4 Public Health and its authorized representatives relating  
5 to known or suspected cases of sexually transmitted  
6 infection or any information the disclosure of which is  
7 restricted under the Illinois Sexually Transmitted  
8 Infection Control Act.

9 (e) Information the disclosure of which is exempted  
10 under Section 30 of the Radon Industry Licensing Act.

11 (f) Firm performance evaluations under Section 55 of  
12 the Architectural, Engineering, and Land Surveying  
13 Qualifications Based Selection Act.

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15 and exempted under Section 50 of the Illinois Prepaid  
16 Tuition Act.

17 (h) Information the disclosure of which is exempted  
18 under the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act, and  
19 records of any lawfully created State or local inspector  
20 general's office that would be exempt if created or  
21 obtained by an Executive Inspector General's office under  
22 that Act.

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24 plan submitted to a municipality in accordance with a  
25 local emergency energy plan ordinance that is adopted  
26 under Section 11-21.5-5 of the Illinois Municipal Code.

1           (j) Information and data concerning the distribution  
2 of surcharge moneys collected and remitted by carriers  
3 under the Emergency Telephone System Act.

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5 or driver identification information compiled by a law  
6 enforcement agency or the Department of Transportation  
7 under Section 11-212 of the Illinois Vehicle Code.

8           (l) Records and information provided to a residential  
9 health care facility resident sexual assault and death  
10 review team or the Executive Council under the Abuse  
11 Prevention Review Team Act.

12           (m) Information provided to the predatory lending  
13 database created pursuant to Article 3 of the Residential  
14 Real Property Disclosure Act, except to the extent  
15 authorized under that Article.

16           (n) Defense budgets and petitions for certification of  
17 compensation and expenses for court appointed trial  
18 counsel as provided under Sections 10 and 15 of the  
19 Capital Crimes Litigation Act (repealed). This subsection  
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21 case, even if the prosecution chooses not to pursue the  
22 death penalty prior to trial or sentencing.

23           (o) Information that is prohibited from being  
24 disclosed under Section 4 of the Illinois Health and  
25 Hazardous Substances Registry Act.

26           (p) Security portions of system safety program plans,

1 investigation reports, surveys, schedules, lists, data, or  
2 information compiled, collected, or prepared by or for the  
3 Department of Transportation under Sections 2705-300 and  
4 2705-616 of the Department of Transportation Law of the  
5 Civil Administrative Code of Illinois, the Regional  
6 Transportation Authority under Section 2.11 of the  
7 Regional Transportation Authority Act, or the St. Clair  
8 County Transit District under the Bi-State Transit Safety  
9 Act (repealed).

10 (q) Information prohibited from being disclosed by the  
11 Personnel Record Review Act.

12 (r) Information prohibited from being disclosed by the  
13 Illinois School Student Records Act.

14 (s) Information the disclosure of which is restricted  
15 under Section 5-108 of the Public Utilities Act.

16 (t) (Blank).

17 (u) Records and information provided to an independent  
18 team of experts under the Developmental Disability and  
19 Mental Health Safety Act (also known as Brian's Law).

20 (v) Names and information of people who have applied  
21 for or received Firearm Owner's Identification Cards under  
22 the Firearm Owners Identification Card Act or applied for  
23 or received a concealed carry license under the Firearm  
24 Concealed Carry Act, unless otherwise authorized by the  
25 Firearm Concealed Carry Act; and databases under the  
26 Firearm Concealed Carry Act, records of the Concealed

1 Carry Licensing Review Board under the Firearm Concealed  
2 Carry Act, and law enforcement agency objections under the  
3 Firearm Concealed Carry Act.

4 (v-5) Records of the Firearm Owner's Identification  
5 Card Review Board that are exempted from disclosure under  
6 Section 10 of the Firearm Owners Identification Card Act.

7 (w) Personally identifiable information which is  
8 exempted from disclosure under subsection (g) of Section  
9 19.1 of the Toll Highway Act.

10 (x) Information which is exempted from disclosure  
11 under Section 5-1014.3 of the Counties Code or Section  
12 8-11-21 of the Illinois Municipal Code.

13 (y) Confidential information under the Adult  
14 Protective Services Act and its predecessor enabling  
15 statute, the Elder Abuse and Neglect Act, including  
16 information about the identity and administrative finding  
17 against any caregiver of a verified and substantiated  
18 decision of abuse, neglect, or financial exploitation of  
19 an eligible adult maintained in the Registry established  
20 under Section 7.5 of the Adult Protective Services Act.

21 (z) Records and information provided to a fatality  
22 review team or the Illinois Fatality Review Team Advisory  
23 Council under Section 15 of the Adult Protective Services  
24 Act.

25 (aa) Information which is exempted from disclosure  
26 under Section 2.37 of the Wildlife Code.

1 (bb) Information which is or was prohibited from  
2 disclosure by the Juvenile Court Act of 1987.

3 (cc) Recordings made under the Law Enforcement  
4 Officer-Worn Body Camera Act, except to the extent  
5 authorized under that Act.

6 (dd) Information that is prohibited from being  
7 disclosed under Section 45 of the Condominium and Common  
8 Interest Community Ombudsperson Act.

9 (ee) Information that is exempted from disclosure  
10 under Section 30.1 of the Pharmacy Practice Act.

11 (ff) Information that is exempted from disclosure  
12 under the Revised Uniform Unclaimed Property Act.

13 (gg) Information that is prohibited from being  
14 disclosed under Section 7-603.5 of the Illinois Vehicle  
15 Code.

16 (hh) Records that are exempt from disclosure under  
17 Section 1A-16.7 of the Election Code.

18 (ii) Information which is exempted from disclosure  
19 under Section 2505-800 of the Department of Revenue Law of  
20 the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois.

21 (jj) Information and reports that are required to be  
22 submitted to the Department of Labor by registering day  
23 and temporary labor service agencies but are exempt from  
24 disclosure under subsection (a-1) of Section 45 of the Day  
25 and Temporary Labor Services Act.

26 (kk) Information prohibited from disclosure under the

1 Seizure and Forfeiture Reporting Act.

2 (ll) Information the disclosure of which is restricted  
3 and exempted under Section 5-30.8 of the Illinois Public  
4 Aid Code.

5 (mm) Records that are exempt from disclosure under  
6 Section 4.2 of the Crime Victims Compensation Act.

7 (nn) Information that is exempt from disclosure under  
8 Section 70 of the Higher Education Student Assistance Act.

9 (oo) Communications, notes, records, and reports  
10 arising out of a peer support counseling session  
11 prohibited from disclosure under the First Responders  
12 Suicide Prevention Act.

13 (pp) Names and all identifying information relating to  
14 an employee of an emergency services provider or law  
15 enforcement agency under the First Responders Suicide  
16 Prevention Act.

17 (qq) Information and records held by the Department of  
18 Public Health and its authorized representatives collected  
19 under the Reproductive Health Act.

20 (rr) Information that is exempt from disclosure under  
21 the Cannabis Regulation and Tax Act.

22 (ss) Data reported by an employer to the Department of  
23 Human Rights pursuant to Section 2-108 of the Illinois  
24 Human Rights Act.

25 (tt) Recordings made under the Children's Advocacy  
26 Center Act, except to the extent authorized under that

1 Act.

2 (uu) Information that is exempt from disclosure under  
3 Section 50 of the Sexual Assault Evidence Submission Act.

4 (vv) Information that is exempt from disclosure under  
5 subsections (f) and (j) of Section 5-36 of the Illinois  
6 Public Aid Code.

7 (ww) Information that is exempt from disclosure under  
8 Section 16.8 of the State Treasurer Act.

9 (xx) Information that is exempt from disclosure or  
10 information that shall not be made public under the  
11 Illinois Insurance Code.

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13 the Illinois Educational Labor Relations Act.

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16 (aaa) Information prohibited from being disclosed  
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18 (bbb) Information that is prohibited from disclosure  
19 by the Illinois Police Training Act and the Illinois State  
20 Police Act.

21 (ccc) Records exempt from disclosure under Section  
22 2605-304 of the Illinois State Police Law of the Civil  
23 Administrative Code of Illinois.

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26 Victims of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Human

1 Trafficking, or Stalking Act.

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3 under subsection (b) of Section 75 of the Domestic  
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5 (fff) Images from cameras under the Expressway Camera  
6 Act. This subsection (fff) is inoperative on and after  
7 July 1, 2025.

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19 (Source: P.A. 102-36, eff. 6-25-21; 102-237, eff. 1-1-22;  
20 102-292, eff. 1-1-22; 102-520, eff. 8-20-21; 102-559, eff.  
21 8-20-21; 102-813, eff. 5-13-22; 102-946, eff. 7-1-22;  
22 102-1042, eff. 6-3-22; 102-1116, eff. 1-10-23; 103-8, eff.  
23 6-7-23; 103-34, eff. 6-9-23; 103-142, eff. 1-1-24; 103-372,  
24 eff. 1-1-24; 103-472, eff. 8-1-24; 103-508, eff. 8-4-23;  
25 103-580, eff. 12-8-23; 103-592, eff. 6-7-24; 103-605, eff.  
26 7-1-24; 103-636, eff. 7-1-24; 103-786, eff. 8-7-24; 103-859,

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6       call boxes around the State Capitol Complex.

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8       under this Section is exempt from disclosure under the Freedom  
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10       (c) As used in this Section:

11       "Electronic monitoring device" means a surveillance  
12       instrument with a fixed position video camera, an audio  
13       recording device, or both that records activity or sounds and  
14       transmits activity or sounds to the Secretary of State  
15       Department of Police.

16       "Safety call box" means a well lit, publicly accessible  
17       call box that houses a telecommunication device that may be  
18       used by an individual who feels unsafe and who wishes to  
19       communicate with law enforcement authorities and alert those  
20       authorities of the individual's location.

21       Section 95. No acceleration or delay. Where this Act makes  
22       changes in a statute that is represented in this Act by text  
23       that is not yet or no longer in effect (for example, a Section  
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