

97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2011 and 2012 SB2561

Introduced 1/11/2012, by Sen. William R. Haine

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

740 ILCS 110/9.3

Amends the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Confidentiality Act. Adds the Departments of Corrections and Juvenile Justice to the government officials or agencies to which there can be disclosure of the mental health records of a person who received services or who was evaluated, investigated, or prosecuted pursuant to the Sexually Violent Persons Commitment Act, without the consent of the person or the treatment provider involved. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

- Section 5. The Mental Health and Developmental
 Disabilities Confidentiality Act is amended by changing
 Section 9.3 as follows:
- 7 (740 ILCS 110/9.3)

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Sec. 9.3. Disclosure without consent under the Sexually Violent Persons Commitment Act. Disclosure may be made without consent by any therapist or other treatment provider providing mental health or developmental disabilities services pursuant to the provisions of the Sexually Violent Persons Commitment Act or who previously provided any type of mental health or developmental disabilities services to a person who is subject to an evaluation, investigation, or prosecution of a petition under the Sexually Violent Persons Commitment Act. Disclosure may be made to the Attorney General, the State's Attorney participating in the case, the Department of Human Services, the Department of Corrections, the Department of Juvenile Justice, the court, and any other party to whom the court directs disclosure to be made. The information disclosed may include any records or communications in the possession of the Department of Corrections, if those records or communications

- 1 were relied upon by the therapist in providing mental health or
- 2 developmental disabilities services pursuant to the Sexually
- 3 Violent Persons Commitment Act. Any records and any information
- 4 obtained from those records under this Section may be used only
- 5 in sexually violent persons commitment proceedings.
- 6 (Source: P.A. 92-415, eff. 8-17-01.)
- 7 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 8 becoming law.