#### SECOND REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1686

## **100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

#### INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE DEGROOT.

DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

### AN ACT

To amend chapter 476, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to limited access to certain court records.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 476, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be 2 known as section 476.1020, to read as follows:

476.1020. Any official court record pertaining to a case in which a person is charged with any nonviolent misdemeanor offense or any traffic offense shall not be made available to the public but may be included in any state courts automated case management system accessible to the following persons:

- 5 (1) Court personnel;
- 6 (2) Law enforcement agencies;
- 7 **(3) Judges;**
- 8 (4) Prosecutors;
- 9 (5) Defense attorneys; or
- 10 (6) Any other person needing access to such record if deemed necessary by the
- 11 **court.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

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