



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB5606

by Rep. Lawrence M. Walsh, Jr.

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 140/3.7 new

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Provides that no provision of the Act shall be construed to afford any rights to any person: (i) incarcerated in a State, local, or federal correctional facility; or (ii) in the custody of the Department of Human Services as unfit to stand trial or under the Sexually Violent Persons Commitment Act. Provides that the new provisions shall not be construed to prevent a person from exercising his or her constitutionally-protected rights.

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1 AN ACT concerning government.

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

4 Section 5. The Freedom of Information Act is amended by
5 changing Section 7 and by adding Section 3.7 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 140/3.7 new)

7 Sec. 3.7. Persons in custody. No provision of this Act
8 shall be construed to afford any rights to any person: (i)
9 incarcerated in a State, local, or federal correctional
10 facility, whether or not the facility is located in the State
11 of Illinois; or (ii) in the custody of the Department of Human
12 Services as unfit to stand trial, after a finding or verdict of
13 not guilty by reason of insanity, or under the Sexually Violent
14 Persons Commitment Act. This Section shall not be construed to
15 prevent a person from exercising his or her
16 constitutionally-protected rights.