



HOUSE BILL 477: LEO Privacy Protection

**This Bill Analysis
reflects the contents
of the bill as it was
presented in
committee.**

2015-2016 General Assembly

Committee:	House Judiciary II	Date:	April 23, 2015
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Analysis of:	PCS to First Edition H477-CSSA-46		Committee Counsel

SUMMARY: *The Proposed Committee Substitute (PCS) for House Bill 477 would direct the Joint Legislative Committee on Local Government to study requiring cities and counties to remove personal information from records available on internet Web sites maintained by counties and cities when requested by certain law enforcement personnel, prosecutors, and judicial officers and exempt government issued mobile telephone numbers of public safety personnel from disclosure as a public record.*

BILL ANALYSIS:

Sections 1, 2 & 3 would direct the Joint Legislative Committee on Local Government to study the development of a process to remove personal information of nonelected officials from records available on Internet Web sites maintained by cities and counties. The Committee would be required to report to the 2016 Session of the 2015 of the General Assembly.

Section 4 would provide that mobile telephone numbers issued by a local, county, or State government to certain public safety personnel are not public record.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This act is effective when it becomes law.

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