

Regarding the Protection of Documents Possessed by the Fish and Game Administration that Contains Personal Information of the Public

This Act provides for the protection of game and fish department records of personal information obtained from the public records of sensitive biological areas. The following records, regardless of form or characteristic, of or relating to the state game and fish department are exempt:

- A record that would identify the name, address or electronic mail address of an individual participating in a wildlife harvest survey;
- A record that would identify population distributions or locations of pallid sturgeon, bighorn sheep, moose, elk, eagles, sage grouse, prairie chickens, and any species of wildlife listed as threatened or endangered under the federal Endangered Species Act; and
- Telemetry radio frequencies or global positioning system coordinates of monitored species denning sites, nest locations of raptors, and the specific location of wildlife capture sites used for wildlife research/management.

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Suggested State Legislation

(Title, enacting clause, etc.)

1 Section 1. [*Short Title.*] This Act may be cited as “An Act to Provide for Protection of
2 Game and Fish Department Records of Personal Information Obtained from the Public and
3 Records of Sensitive Biological Data.”
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5 Section 2. [*Protection of Personal Information of the Public.*] The following records,
6 regardless of form or characteristic, of or relating to the [game and fish department] are exempt
7 under [insert citation]:

8 A. A record that would identify the name, address, or electronic mail
9 address of an individual participating in a wildlife harvest survey.

10 B. A record that would identify population distributions or locations of
11 pallid sturgeon, bighorn sheep, moose, elk, eagles, sage grouse, prairie chickens, and any species
12 of wildlife listed as threatened or endangered under the federal Endangered Species Act of 1973
13 [Pub. L. 93-205; 87 Stat. 884; 16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.], as amended.

14 C. Telemetry radio frequencies or global positioning system coordinates
15 of monitored species, denning sites, nest locations of raptors, and the specific location of wildlife
16 capture sites used for wildlife research or management.
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18 Section 3. [*Severability.*] [Insert severability clause.]
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20 Section 4. [*Repealer.*] [Insert repealer clause.]
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22 Section 5. [*Effective Date.*] [Insert effective date.]