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PUBLIC ACT SUMMARY



**PA 25-124—SB 1520**

*Government Administration and Elections Committee*

**AN ACT CONCERNING AN AMENDMENT TO THE FREEDOM OF  
INFORMATION ACT CONCERNING EDUCATION RECORDS**

**SUMMARY:** This act specifies that the state Freedom of Information Act's disclosure exemption for records covered by the federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) applies to "education," rather than "educational," records exempt from disclosure under FERPA. This conforms with terminology used in FERPA (20 U.S.C. § 1232g(4)). The act also specifies that the exemption applies to FERPA as it existed on January 3, 2012.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** July 1, 2025