



General Assembly

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***Raised Bill No. 325***

LCO No. 2267



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT

Introduced by:  
(GOS)

***AN ACT PROHIBITING THE DISCLOSURE OF THE RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT AND ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE CONCERNING MASS REQUESTS UNDER THE ACT.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 1-217 of the general statutes is  
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
3 *1, 2026*):

4 (a) No public agency may disclose, under the Freedom of Information  
5 Act, from its personnel, medical or similar files, the residential address  
6 of any of the following persons employed by such public agency:

7 (1) A federal court judge, federal court magistrate, judge of the  
8 Superior Court, Appellate Court or Supreme Court of the state, or  
9 family support magistrate;

10 (2) A sworn member of a municipal police department, a sworn  
11 member of the Division of State Police within the Department of  
12 Emergency Services and Public Protection or a sworn law enforcement

13 officer within the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection;

14 (3) An employee of the Department of Correction;

15 (4) An attorney-at-law who represents or has represented the state in  
16 a criminal prosecution;

17 (5) An attorney-at-law who is or has been employed by the Division  
18 of Public Defender Services or a social worker who is employed by the  
19 Division of Public Defender Services;

20 (6) An inspector employed by the Division of Criminal Justice;

21 (7) A firefighter;

22 (8) An employee of the Department of Children and Families;

23 (9) A member or employee of the Board of Pardons and Paroles;

24 (10) An employee of the judicial branch;

25 (11) An employee of the Department of Mental Health and Addiction  
26 Services who provides direct care to patients;

27 (12) A member or employee of the Commission on Human Rights  
28 and Opportunities; [or]

29 (13) A state marshal appointed by the State Marshal Commission  
30 pursuant to section 6-38b; or

31 (14) A teacher who holds a professional educator certificate pursuant  
32 to section 10-145b and is employed by a public school.

33 Sec. 2. (*Effective from passage*) (a) There is established a task force to  
34 study the issue of individuals using artificial intelligence to develop  
35 mass requests of information under the Freedom of Information Act, as  
36 defined in section 1-200 of the general statutes, and whether any  
37 changes in law are necessary to assist public agencies in handling such

38 requests.

39 (b) The task force shall consist of the following members:

40 (1) Two appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives,  
41 one of whom is a representative of an organization representing  
42 municipalities and one of whom has expertise in open government  
43 issues;

44 (2) Two appointed by the president pro tempore of the Senate, one of  
45 whom is an attorney in the state;

46 (3) One appointed by the majority leader of the House of  
47 Representatives, who has expertise in artificial intelligence;

48 (4) One appointed by the majority leader of the Senate;

49 (5) One appointed by the minority leader of the House of  
50 Representatives, who is a representative of an organization representing  
51 small towns;

52 (6) One appointed by the minority leader of the Senate;

53 (7) The Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management, or the  
54 secretary's designee;

55 (8) The executive director of the Freedom of Information  
56 Commission, or the executive director's designee; and

57 (9) The Chief Information Officer, or a designee.

58 (c) Any member of the task force appointed under subdivision (1),  
59 (2), (3), (4), (5) or (6) of subsection (b) of this section may be a member  
60 of the General Assembly.

61 (d) All initial appointments to the task force shall be made not later  
62 than thirty days after the effective date of this section. Any vacancy shall  
63 be filled by the appointing authority.

64 (e) The speaker of the House of Representatives and the president pro  
65 tempore of the Senate shall select the chairpersons of the task force from  
66 among the members of the task force. Such chairpersons shall schedule  
67 the first meeting of the task force, which shall be held not later than sixty  
68 days after the effective date of this section.

69 (f) The administrative staff of the joint standing committee of the  
70 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to government  
71 oversight shall serve as administrative staff of the task force.

72 (g) Not later than January 1, 2027, the task force shall submit a report  
73 on its findings and recommendations to the joint standing committee of  
74 the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to  
75 government oversight, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-  
76 4a of the general statutes. The task force shall terminate on the date that  
77 it submits such report or January 1, 2027, whichever is later.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>October 1, 2026</i>	1-217(a)
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	New section

**Statement of Purpose:**

To prohibit disclosure of the residential address of public school teachers under the Freedom of Information Act and to establish a task force to study how to respond to the issue of mass requests created by artificial intelligence.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*