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10100SB0077sam001 LRB101 07113 LNS 56854 a 1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 77 2 AMENDMENT NO. . Amend Senate Bill 77 on page 1, by replacing line 5 with the following: "changing Section 9-121 3 and by adding Section 9-102.5 as"; and 4 5 by deleting line 5 on page 2 through line 16 on page 6; and 6 on page 6, immediately above line 17, by inserting the 7 following: "(735 ILCS 5/9-121) 8 9 Sec. 9-121. Sealing of court file. 10 (a) Definition. As used in this Section, "court file" means the court file created when an eviction action is filed with 11 12 the court. (b) Discretionary sealing of court file. The court may 13 14 order that a court file in an eviction action be placed under

seal if the court finds that the plaintiff's action is

- sufficiently without a basis in fact or law, which may include 1 2 a lack of jurisdiction, that placing the court file under seal
- 3 is clearly in the interests of justice, and that those
- 4 interests are not outweighed by the public's interest in
- 5 knowing about the record. The court may order that the tenant's
- 6 name in an action brought under Section 9-104.2 be sealed.
- 7 (c) Mandatory sealing of court file. The court file
- relating to an eviction action brought against a tenant under 8
- 9 Section 9-207.5 of this Code or as set forth in subdivision
- 10 (h)(6) of Section 15-1701 of this Code shall be placed under
- 11 seal.
- (Source: P.A. 100-173, eff. 1-1-18.)". 12