

97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2011 and 2012 HB5533

Introduced 2/15/2012, by Rep. Dwight Kay

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 140/2.21 new

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Specifies that all records related to the evaluation, processing, or payment of workers' compensation claims of State employees, including medical and test reports that do not disclose the identity of the patient or claimant, are public records subject to inspection and copying in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning government.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Freedom of Information Act is amended by adding Section 2.21 as follows:
- 6 (5 ILCS 140/2.21 new)
- Sec. 2.21. Records related to workers' compensation claims

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 processing, or payment of workers' compensation claims of State

 employees, including medical and test reports that do not

 disclose the identity of the patient or claimant, are public

 records subject to inspection and copying in accordance with
- the provisions of this Act.