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HOUSE ENROLLED ACT No. 1633

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 16-37-1-8 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 8. (a) Except as provided in subsection (c), a local health officer shall provide a certification of birth, death, or stillbirth registration upon request by any person only if:

- (1) the health officer is satisfied that the applicant has a direct interest in the matter;
- (2) the health officer determines that the certificate is necessary for the determination of personal or property rights or for compliance with state or federal law; and
- (3) the applicant for a birth certificate presents at least one (1) form of identification.

However, the local health officer must issue a certificate of an applicant's own birth registration.

(b) A local health officer's decision whether or not to issue a certified copy of a birth certificate is subject to review by a court.

(c) A local health officer may not issue a copy of a birth certificate of a missing child to which a notice has been attached under IC 10-13-5-11 without the authorization of the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children.

(d) Upon determination that a person may be provided a certification of death under subsection (a), the local health officer

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shall provide to the person a certification of death that excludes information concerning the cause of death if the person requests the exclusion of this information.

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President Pro Tempore

Governor of the State of Indiana

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