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Act No. 173 (H.644). An act relating to access to records by individuals who were in foster care

Subjects: Human services; Department for Children and Families; child welfare services; records of abuse and neglect

This act amends certain statutes governing access to records of abuse and neglect and juvenile justice proceedings. This act allows individuals to access these records, provided that the individual is the subject of the records sought by the request, 18 years of age or older, and was in foster care or subject to a juvenile judicial proceeding as a minor.

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