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Introduced by M. of A. BARRA -- read once and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT to amend the family court act, in relation to fingerprinting of juveniles

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Subdivision 4 of section 306.1 of the family court act, as added by chapter 920 of the laws of 1982, is amended to read as follows:

4. Upon the taking of fingerprints pursuant to subdivision one the appropriate officer or agency shall, without unnecessary delay, forward such fingerprints to the division of criminal justice services and shall [not] retain A COPY OF such fingerprints [or any copy thereof]. Copies of photographs [and], palmprints, AND FINGERPRINTS taken pursuant to this section shall be kept confidential and only in the exclusive possession of such law enforcement agency, separate and apart from files of adults.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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