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Introduced by M. of A. GABRYSZAK, THIELE, RAIA, GALEF, HOOPER, SCARBOROUGH, PERRY, SCHIMEL, JAFFEE, GUNTHER, CASTRO, ZEBROWSKI -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. CROUCH, FINCH, McDONOUGH, McKEVITT, TITONE, WEISENBERG -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the public officers law, in relation to removing the "unwarranted invasion of personal privacy" exemption for certain real property records

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

Section 1. Subparagraphs ii, iii and iv of paragraph (c) of subdivision 2 of section 89 of the public officers law, as amended by section 11 of part U of chapter 61 of the laws of 2011, are amended to read as follows:

ii. when the person to whom a record pertains consents in writing to disclosure; OR

iii. when upon presenting reasonable proof of identity, a person seeks access to records pertaining to him or her[; or

iv. when a record or group of records relates to the right, title or interest in real property, or relates to the inventory, status or characteristics of real property, in which case disclosure and providing copies of such record or group of records shall not be deemed an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, provided that nothing herein shall be construed to authorize the disclosure of electronic contact information, such as an e-mail address or a social network username, that has been collected from a taxpayer under section one hundred four of the real property tax law].

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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