

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

January 11, 2021

Introduced by M. of A. PRETLOW -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the public officers law, in relation to exempting the disclosure, under the freedom of information law, of the name of any police officer, peace officer, correction officer, or retired police officer, peace officer or correction officer issued a license to carry or possess a firearm

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 87 of the public officers law is
2 amended by adding a new paragraph (r) to read as follows:

3 (r) is information related to the issuance, pursuant to article four
4 hundred of the penal law, of any license to carry or possess firearms
5 when such license is issued to a police officer, as defined in subdivi-
6 sion thirty-four of section 1.20 of the criminal procedure law, a peace
7 officer, as defined in article two of the criminal procedure law, a
8 correction officer employed by the department of corrections and commu-
9 nity supervision or a county or city operating a local correctional
10 facility, or any person retired from active service as a police officer,
11 peace officer or correction officer; provided, however, that no
12 provision of this paragraph shall be deemed to prohibit the disclosure
13 of such information to a law enforcement agency for the purpose of
14 conducting an investigation or prosecution.

15 § 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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