

Requested by Senator GELSER

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 749**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 4, delete “419A” and insert “418”.

2 Delete lines 5 through 28.

3 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 5 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:**

5 **“(a) ‘Child’ means an unmarried person under 21 years of age;**

6 **“(b) ‘Ward’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 419A.004;**

7 **“(c) ‘Youth’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 419A.004; and**

8 **“(d) ‘Youth offender’ has the meaning given that term in ORS**
9 **419A.004.**

10 **“(2) A child, ward, youth or youth offender in the legal custody of**
11 **the Department of Human Services who is 15 years of age or older**
12 **shall:**

13 **“(a) Upon request, have access to confidential information main-**
14 **tained by the department regarding the child, ward, youth or youth**
15 **offender; and**

16 **“(b) Be entitled to sign a release of information authorizing disclo-**
17 **sure of confidential information maintained by the department re-**
18 **garding the child, ward, youth or youth offender for the purpose of**
19 **obtaining assistance from an advocate, attorney, legislator or any**
20 **other person.”.**

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