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## **ACCESS TO CHILD ABUSE INFO.**

**House Bill 4782**

**Sponsor: Rep. Michelle McManus**

**Committee: Human Services**

**Complete to 5-8-95**

### **A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4782 AS INTRODUCED 5-6-95**

Currently, under the Child Protection Law, the Department of Social Services (DSS) is required to maintain a central registry of confidential information on reports and investigations of suspected incidents of child abuse. House Bill 4782 would amend the law to include medical examiners among those with access to the registry information. The bill would specify that these persons, when executing their duties as county medical examiners, would have access to the registry information when investigating the death of a child, or when notifying parents of their right to request an autopsy.

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