AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:154(G)(4) and (5), relative to election officials; to prohibit the disclosure of specified information by specified election officials relating to the security and integrity of the state voter registration computer system and election management system and voting equipment; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 18:154(G)(4) and (5) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§154. Records open to inspection; copying; exceptions

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G. Notwithstanding any provision of this Section to the contrary, the registrar, the clerk of court, and the Department of State shall be prohibited from disclosing the following:

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(4) Computer system or program information, including software, related menus, flow charts, network diagrams, passwords, source materials, prompts, dialogues, operating manuals, programming materials or instructions, and any other computer operating or support materials concerning the state voter registration computer system and election management system or voting equipment.

(5) Any information contained within the state voter registration computer system and election management system which if disclosed may impair the security...
of the statewide voter registration system and election management system or the
integrity of the information maintained on the systems or voting equipment.

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Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: ____________________

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