HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2019 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to Original House Bill No. 258 by Representative Muscarello

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

- 2 On page 1, line 9, after "purposes;" and before "and" insert "to provide certain information
- 3 with regard to execution of the death penalty;"
- 4 AMENDMENT NO. 2
- 5 On page 2, line 7, after "dispenses," and before "any substance" delete "or prescribes" and
- 6 insert "prescribes, synthesizes, prepares, tests, uses, sells, imports, distributes, or
- 7 <u>administers</u>"
- 8 AMENDMENT NO. 3
- 9 On page 2, line 12, after "that" and before "could" insert "identifies or"
- 10 AMENDMENT NO. 4
- On page 2, line 15, after "agency," and before "or person." insert "commission, legislative
- or quasi-legislative body,"
- 13 AMENDMENT NO. 5
- On page 2, line 17, after "dispenses," and before "any substance," delete "or prescribes" and
- 15 insert "prescribes, synthesizes, prepares, tests, uses, sells, imports, distributes, or
- 16 administers"
- 17 AMENDMENT NO. 6
- On page 2, between lines 23 and 24 insert the following:
- 19 "(c) This Paragraph applies retroactively to any request for
- information, discovery request, or proceeding, no matter when made or
- 21 <u>initiated, including pending litigation.</u>"
- 22 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 7</u>
- 23 On page 3, after line 7, add the following:
- "Section 3. It is the purpose of this Act to ensure absolute confidentiality of any documents, records, or information that could lead to
- 26 the identification of a person or entity involved in any way in the Department
- of Public Safety and Correction's acquisition or preparation of drugs for
- lethal injections. It is necessary that the confidentiality provisions of this Act
- be construed as broadly as possible to ensure the absolute confidentiality of
- this identifying information so as to ensure that the Department of Public
- 31 Safety and Corrections is able to acquire the drugs necessary for lethal
- 32 injections."