## DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Requires a public body or third party to remove from publication or not publish the personal information of certain persons upon a request by that person, and provides for penalties upon a failure to do so.

Proposed law provides for definitions.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that protected individuals (current or retired district attorneys, assistant district attorneys, and district attorney investigators) may request that their personal information not be published by a public body or third party.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that protected individuals may request that their personal information be removed from any existing publication.

Proposed law provides for the method of making such a request.

Proposed law provides that a public body shall, within 10 days, remove the personal information.

Proposed law provides that a third party shall, within 72 hours, remove the personal information.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that a protected individual may bring an action for mandamus for declaratory and injunctive relief and reasonable attorney fees.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that a third party who violates <u>proposed law</u> is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by up to 90 days imprisonment or a fine not to exceed \$1,000, or both.

Effective February 1, 2026.

(Adds R.S. 44:11.3)