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**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2017 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 236  
by Senator LaFleur

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1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 4, after "Civil Procedure" delete the remainder of the line and insert

3 "Arts. 258(D) and 259, relative to clerks of court; to"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 7, after "documents;" delete the remainder of the line and insert

6 "to provide relative to redaction and contents of certain personal information in  
7 filings and recordings; and"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 On page 2, line 15, change "may" to "**may shall**"

10 AMENDMENT NO. 4

11 On page 2, line 22, change "**twenty**" to "**twenty-five**"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 5

13 On page 2, line 23, change "**twenty-one**" to "**twenty-six**"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 6

15 On page 8, delete line 7 and insert

16 "and Code of Civil Procedure Articles 258(D) and 259 are hereby enacted to read as  
17 follows:"

18 AMENDMENT NO. 7

19 On page 9, after line 3 insert

20 "**Art. 259. Redaction of certain personal information in filings and recordings**  
21 **A. Except as otherwise required by law or court order, a pleading,**  
22 **motion, or other document filed or recorded with the clerk of court that**  
23 **includes a social security number, taxpayer-identification number, financial**  
24 **account number, birth date, or the name of a person known to be a minor, shall**  
25 **specify only:**

26 **(1) the last four digits of the social security number, taxpayer**  
27 **identification number, or financial account number.**

28 **(2) the year of the person's birth.**

29 **(3) the initials of the minor.**

30 **B. The failure to comply with the provisions of this Article shall not**  
31 **affect the validity of what is filed or recorded, or provide a basis for the clerk**  
32 **of court to refuse to accept it.**

33 **C. The clerk of court shall not be liable for loss or damages resulting**  
34 **from the filing or recording of a pleading, motion or other document that fails**  
35 **to comply with the provisions of this Article.**"