

**HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS**

House Bill No. 86 by Representative Lopinto

CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE: Provides relative to requests of criminal history information from the FBI on certain individuals considered for involvement with the CASA program

**Synopsis of Senate Amendments**

1. Added an emergency effective date.

**Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate**

Present law provides that any Court Appointed Special Advocate program is entitled to criminal history information from the bureau on any person being considered for involvement with the CASA program.

Present law further provides that the bureau, upon request after receipt of fingerprint cards or other identifying information from the CASA program, in addition to a survey of its criminal history records and identification files, shall also make a simultaneous request to the FBI for like information from other jurisdictions.

Proposed law amends present law to make the simultaneous request for criminal information by the bureau to the FBI permissive and not mandatory.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 15:587.1(J))