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AN ACT

To repeal sections 182.817, 191.656, 213.111, 260.210, 302.170, 417.457, 448.4-117, 510.265, 537.090, 538.210, 542.418, and 544.195, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof twelve new sections relating to punitive damages, with existing penalty provisions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 182.817, 191.656, 213.111, 260.210, 302.170, 417.457,

- 2 448.4-117, 510.265, 537.090, 538.210, 542.418, and 544.195, RSMo, are repealed
- 3 and twelve new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 182.817,
- 4 191.656, 213.111, 260.210, 302.170, 417.457, 448.4-117, 510.265, 537.090, 538.210,
- 5 542.418, and 544.195, to read as follows:
 - 182.817. 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law to the
- 2 contrary, no library, employee or agent of a library, or third party contracted by
- 3 a library that receives, transmits, maintains, or stores library records shall
- 4 release or disclose a library record or portion of a library record to any person or
- 5 persons except:
- 6 (1) In response to a written request of the person identified in that record,
- 7 according to procedures and forms giving written consent as determined by the
- 8 library; or
- 9 (2) In response to an order issued by a court of competent jurisdiction
- 10 upon a finding that the disclosure of such record is necessary to protect the public
- 11 safety or to prosecute a crime.
- 12 2. Any person whose privacy is compromised as a result of an alleged
- 13 violation of this section may file a written complaint within one hundred eighty
- days of the alleged violation with the office of the attorney general describing the

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

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facts surrounding the alleged violation. Such person may additionally bring a private civil action in the circuit court of the county in which the library is located to recover damages. The court may, in its discretion, award punitive damages, except as provided in subsection 4 of this section, and may award to the prevailing party attorney's fees, based on the amount of time reasonably expended, and may provide such equitable relief as it deems necessary or proper. A prevailing respondent may be awarded attorney fees under this subsection only upon a showing that the case is without foundation.

- 3. Upon receipt of a complaint filed in accordance with subsection 2 of this section, the attorney general shall review each complaint and may initiate legal action if deemed appropriate.
- 4. In any cause of action brought pursuant to this section, punitive damages shall not be awarded against a library established by the state, a political subdivision of the state, or any combination thereof, any community college district, or any state college or university, or any employee or agent of such library if such person was acting within the scope of his or her employment.
- 191.656. 1. (1) All information known to, and records containing any information held or maintained by, any person, or by any agency, department, or political subdivision of the state concerning an individual's HIV infection status or the results of any individual's HIV testing shall be strictly confidential and shall not be disclosed except to:
- 6 (a) Public employees within the agency, department, or political 7 subdivision who need to know to perform their public duties;
- 8 (b) Public employees of other agencies, departments, or political 9 subdivisions who need to know to perform their public duties;
- 10 (c) Peace officers, as defined in section 590.100, the attorney general or 11 any assistant attorneys general acting on his or her behalf, as defined in chapter 12 27, and prosecuting attorneys or circuit attorneys as defined in chapter 56 and 13 pursuant to section 191.657;
- (d) Prosecuting attorneys or circuit attorneys as defined in chapter 56 to prosecute cases pursuant to section 191.677 or 567.020. Prosecuting attorneys or circuit attorneys may obtain from the department of health and senior services the contact information and test results of individuals with whom the HIV-infected individual has had sexual intercourse or deviate sexual intercourse. Any prosecuting attorney or circuit attorney who receives

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information from the department of health and senior services pursuant to the provisions of this section shall use such information only for investigative and prosecutorial purposes and such information shall be considered strictly confidential and shall only be released as authorized by this section;

- 24 (e) Persons other than public employees who are entrusted with the 25 regular care of those under the care and custody of a state agency, including but 26 not limited to operators of day care facilities, group homes, residential care 27 facilities and adoptive or foster parents;
 - (f) As authorized by subsection 2 of this section;
 - (g) Victims of any sexual offense defined in chapter 566, which includes sexual intercourse or deviate sexual intercourse, as an element of the crime or to a victim of a section 545.940 offense, in which the court, for good cause shown, orders the defendant to be tested for HIV, hepatitis B, hepatitis C, syphilis, gonorrhea, or chlamydia, once the charge is filed. Prosecuting attorneys or circuit attorneys, or the department of health and senior services may release information to such victims;
- 36 (h) Any individual who has tested positive or false positive to HIV, 37 hepatitis B, hepatitis C, syphilis, gonorrhea, or chlamydia, may request copies of 38 any and all test results relating to said infections.
- 39 (2) Further disclosure by public employees shall be governed by 40 subsections 2 and 3 of this section;
 - (3) Disclosure by a public employee or any other person in violation of this section may be subject to civil actions brought under subsection 6 of this section, unless otherwise required by chapter 330, 332, 334, or 335, pursuant to discipline taken by a state licensing board.
- 2. (1) Unless the person acted in bad faith or with conscious disregard, 46 no person shall be liable for violating any duty or right of confidentiality 47 established by law for disclosing the results of an individual's HIV testing:
 - (a) To the department of health and senior services;
- 49 (b) To health care personnel working directly with the infected individual 50 who have a reasonable need to know the results for the purpose of providing 51 direct patient health care;
- 52 (c) Pursuant to the written authorization of the subject of the test result 53 or results;
 - (d) To the spouse of the subject of the test result or results;
- (e) To the subject of the test result or results;

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56 (f) To the parent or legal guardian or custodian of the subject of the 57 testing, if he is an unemancipated minor;

- (g) To the victim of any sexual offense defined in chapter 566, which includes sexual intercourse or deviate sexual intercourse, as an element of the crime or to a victim of a section 545.940 offense, in which the court, for good cause shown, orders the defendant to be tested for HIV, B, hepatitis C, syphilis, gonorrhea, or chlamydia, once the charge is filed;
- 63 (h) To employees of a state licensing board in the execution of their duties under chapter 330, 332, 334, or 335 pursuant to discipline taken by a state 64 65 licensing board;
- The department of health and senior services and its employees shall not be held liable for disclosing an HIV-infected person's HIV status to individuals with 68 whom that person had sexual intercourse or deviate sexual intercourse;
 - (2) Paragraphs (b) and (d) of subdivision (1) of this subsection shall not be construed in any court to impose any duty on a person to disclose the results of an individual's HIV testing to a spouse or health care professional or other potentially exposed person, parent or guardian;
- 73 (3) No person to whom the results of an individual's HIV testing has been disclosed pursuant to paragraphs (b) and (c) of subdivision (1) of this subsection shall further disclose such results; except that prosecuting attorneys or circuit attorneys may disclose such information to defense attorneys defending actions pursuant to section 191.677 or 567.020 under the rules of discovery, or jurors or 78 court personnel hearing cases pursuant to section 191.677 or 567.020. Such information shall not be used or disclosed for any other purpose;
- 80 (4) When the results of HIV testing, disclosed pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision (1) of this subsection, are included in the medical record of the 81 patient who is subject to the test, the inclusion is not a disclosure for purposes 82 of such paragraph so long as such medical record is afforded the same 83 confidentiality protection afforded other medical records. 84
 - 3. All communications between the subject of HIV testing and a physician, hospital, or other person authorized by the department of health and senior services who performs or conducts HIV sampling shall be privileged communications.
- 89 4. The identity of any individual participating in a research project 90 approved by an institutional review board shall not be reported to the department 91 of health and senior services by the physician conducting the research project.

- 5. The subject of HIV testing who is found to have HIV infection and is aware of his or her HIV status shall disclose such information to any health care professional from whom such person receives health care services. Said notification shall be made prior to receiving services from such health care professional if the HIV-infected person is medically capable of conveying that information or as soon as he or she becomes capable of conveying that information.
- 99 6. Any individual aggrieved by a violation of this section or regulations 100 promulgated by the department of health and senior services may bring a civil 101 action for damages. If it is found in a civil action that:
- 102 (1) A person has negligently violated this section, the person is liable, for 103 each violation, for:
- 104 (a) The greater of actual damages or liquidated damages of one thousand 105 dollars; and
- 106 (b) Court costs and reasonable attorney's fees incurred by the person 107 bringing the action; and
- 108 (c) Such other relief, including injunctive relief, as the court may deem 109 appropriate; or
- 110 (2) A person has willfully or intentionally or recklessly violated this 111 section, the person is liable, for each violation, for:
- 112 (a) The greater of actual damages or liquidated damages of five thousand 113 dollars; and
- 114 (b) Exemplary damages, except such damages shall not be awarded 115 if the person is a public body or an officer, director, agent, or employee 116 of a public body if such person was acting within the scope of his or 117 her employment; and
- 118 (c) Court costs and reasonable attorney's fees incurred by the person 119 bringing the action; and
- 120 (d) Such other relief, including injunctive relief, as the court may deem 121 appropriate.
- 7. No civil liability shall accrue to any health care provider as a result of making a good faith report to the department of health and senior services about a person reasonably believed to be infected with HIV, or cooperating in good faith with the department in an investigation determining whether a court order directing an individual to undergo HIV testing will be sought, or in participating in good faith in any judicial proceeding resulting from such a report or

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investigations; and any person making such a report, or cooperating with such an investigation or participating in such a judicial proceeding, shall be immune from civil liability as a result of such actions so long as taken in good faith.

213.111. 1. If, after one hundred eighty days from the filing of a 2 complaint alleging an unlawful discriminatory practice pursuant to section 213.055, 213.065 or 213.070 to the extent that the alleged violation of section 213.070 relates to or involves a violation of section 213.055 or 213.065, or subdivision (3) of subsection 1 of section 213.070 as it relates to employment and public accommodations, the commission has not completed its administrative 6 processing and the person aggrieved so requests in writing, the commission shall issue to the person claiming to be aggrieved a letter indicating his or her right 9 to bring a civil action within ninety days of such notice against the respondent 10 named in the complaint. If, after the filing of a complaint pursuant to sections 213.040, 213.045, 213.050 and 213.070, to the extent that the alleged violation of 11 12 section 213.070 relates to or involves a violation of sections 213.040, 213.045 and 213.050, or subdivision (3) of subsection 1 of section 213.070 as it relates to 13 14 housing, and the person aggrieved so requests in writing, the commission shall issue to the person claiming to be aggrieved a letter indicating his or her right 15 16 to bring a civil action within ninety days of such notice against the respondent named in the complaint. The commission may not at any other time or for any 1718 other reason issue a letter indicating a complainant's right to bring a civil action. Such an action may be brought in any circuit court in any county in 19 20 which the unlawful discriminatory practice is alleged to have been committed, 21 either before a circuit or associate circuit judge. Upon issuance of this notice, the 22 commission shall terminate all proceedings relating to the complaint. No person 23 may file or reinstate a complaint with the commission after the issuance of a notice under this section relating to the same practice or act. Any action brought 24in court under this section shall be filed within ninety days from the date of the 25 commission's notification letter to the individual but no later than two years after 26 27 the alleged cause occurred or its reasonable discovery by the alleged injured 28 party.

2. The court may grant as relief, as it deems appropriate, any permanent or temporary injunction, temporary restraining order, or other order, and may award to the plaintiff actual and punitive damages, and may award court costs and reasonable attorney fees to the prevailing party, other than a state agency or commission or a local commission; except that, a prevailing respondent may be

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awarded reasonable attorney fees only upon a showing that the case was without 34 foundation. No award of damages shall include punitive damages in any civil action brought pursuant to this section in which the respondent 36 is the state, any political subdivision of the state, or any official or 37 38 employee thereof if such person was acting within the scope of his or her official duties or employment. 39

- 40 3. Any party to any action initiated under this section has a right to a trial by jury. 41
- 424. The sum of the amount of actual damages, including damages for future pecuniary losses, emotional pain, suffering, inconvenience, mental anguish, loss 43 of enjoyment of life, and other nonpecuniary losses, and punitive damages 44 45 awarded under this section shall not exceed for each complaining party:
 - (1) Actual back pay and interest on back pay; and
- (2) (a) In the case of a respondent who has more than five and fewer than one hundred one employees in each of twenty or more calendar weeks in the 48 current or preceding calendar year, fifty thousand dollars; 49
 - (b) In the case of a respondent who has more than one hundred and fewer than two hundred one employees in each of twenty or more calendar weeks in the current or preceding calendar year, one hundred thousand dollars;
 - (c) In the case of a respondent who has more than two hundred and fewer than five hundred one employees in each of twenty or more calendar weeks in the current or preceding calendar year, two hundred thousand dollars; or
 - (d) In the case of a respondent who has more than five hundred employees in each of twenty or more calendar weeks in the current or preceding calendar year, five hundred thousand dollars.
- 59 5. In any employment-related civil action brought under this chapter, the plaintiff shall bear the burden of proving the alleged unlawful decision or action 60 61 was made or taken because of his or her protected classification and was the 62 direct proximate cause of the claimed damages.

260.210. 1. It is unlawful for any person to:

2 (1) Dump or deposit, or permit dumping or depositing of any solid wastes 3 onto the surface of the ground or into streams, springs, and all bodies of surface or ground water, whether natural or artificial, within the boundaries of the state except in a solid waste processing facility or solid waste disposal area having a 6 permit as required by section 260.205; provided that, this subdivision shall not prohibit the use or require a permit for the use of solid wastes in normal farming

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8 operations or in the processing or manufacturing of other products in a manner

- 9 that will not create a public nuisance or adversely affect the public health, and
- 10 shall not prohibit the disposal of or require a permit for the disposal by an
- 11 individual of solid wastes resulting from his or her own residential activities on
- 12 property owned or lawfully occupied by him or her when such wastes do not
- 13 thereby create a public nuisance or adversely affect the public health;
- 14 (2) Construct or alter a solid waste processing facility or solid waste 15 disposal area of a solid waste management system without approval from the 16 department;
 - (3) Conduct any solid waste burning operations in violation of the rules and regulations of the Missouri air conservation commission or the department;
 - (4) Except as otherwise provided, store, collect, transport, process, or dispose of solid waste in violation of the rules, regulations or orders of the department or in such a manner as to create a public nuisance or adversely affect the public health; or
 - (5) Refuse entry or access, requested for purposes of inspecting solid waste processing facilities or solid waste disposal areas, to an agent or employee of the department who presents appropriate credentials, or hinder the agent or employee in carrying out the inspection. A suitably restricted search warrant, upon a showing of probable cause in writing and upon oath, shall be issued by any circuit or associate circuit judge having jurisdiction to any such agent or employee for the purpose of enabling him to make such inspection.
 - 2. Information obtained from waste disposed or deposited in violation of this section may be a rebuttable presumption that the person so identified committed the violation of sections 260.200 to 260.345. If the operator or passenger of any vehicle is witnessed by a peace officer or employee of the department of natural resources to have violated the provisions of this section and the identity of the operator is not determined or otherwise apparent, it may be a rebuttable presumption that the person in whose name such vehicle is registered committed the violation.
- 38 3. No person shall be held responsible pursuant to this section for the dumping or depositing of any solid waste on land owned or lawfully occupied by him or her without his or her express or implied consent, permission or knowledge.
- 42 4. The department shall investigate reports of the dumping or depositing 43 of solid waste or demolition waste in a manner contrary to the requirements of

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sections 260.200 to 260.345. The department shall immediately issue a cease and 44 45 desist order if it determines that any person has been or is dumping or depositing solid waste or demolition waste, or has allowed the dumping or disposal of solid 46 waste or demolition waste or has received compensation for same, in a manner 47 contrary to sections 260.200 to 260.345. The department shall order the owner 48 of the property or the person placing solid waste or demolition waste thereon, or 49 both, to remove all solid waste from the premises if it determines that the waste 50 might be reasonably expected to cause a public nuisance or health hazard. 51

- 5. The department shall order a site cleaned up pursuant to the provisions of section 260.230, when it determines that the property owner or the operator has accepted remuneration or otherwise benefitted financially for placing solid waste or demolition waste in or on the site in contravention of this section. Persons who knowingly haul solid waste or demolition waste to a site which is operating without a permit, persons who operate such a site and persons who own the property where the solid waste or demolition waste is being dumped or deposited shall be jointly and severally liable for cleanup costs and any damage to third parties caused by the dumping or disposing of solid waste or demolition waste on the property if the owner or operator has accepted remuneration or otherwise benefitted financially from such disposal. The provisions of sections 260.230 and 260.240, relating to the issuance of orders, shall be applicable to an action pursuant to this section. Any person aggrieved by any action of the department pursuant to this section may appeal in the manner provided in section 260.235. Any person may bring civil action for actual and exemplary damages against the responsible party if the person has sustained injury due to violations of this section, except no exemplary damages shall be awarded if the responsible party is a city, county, political subdivision, authority, state agency or institution, or any official or employee thereof if such person was acting within the scope of his or her official duties or employment.
- 6. Notwithstanding subsection 1 of section 260.250, any solid waste disposal area or solid waste processing facility serving a city with a population of more than four hundred thousand inhabitants may accept yard waste commingled with solid waste that results from an illegal dump cleanup activity or program conducted by the local government of such city pursuant to this section. The local government of such city shall provide certification to the solid waste disposal area or solid waste processing facility that the origin of the yard

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80 waste is from the cleanup of illegally dumped solid waste.

- 81 7. Any person who engages in building construction, modification or in construction, modification or demolition which produces demolition waste, in 82 types and quantities established by the department, shall dispose of such waste 83 in a demolition or sanitary landfill or other authorized sites as provided by 84 rule. Each such person shall maintain records of sites used for demolition 85 disposal for a period of one year. These records shall be made available to the 86 department upon request. 87
- 88 8. Cities and counties which issue building permits shall reprint the 89 following on each permit or on a separate notice:

"Notice: The disposal of demolition waste is regulated by the 90 91 department of natural resources pursuant to chapter 260, 92 RSMo. Such waste, in types and quantities established by the 93 department, shall be taken to a demolition landfill or a sanitary 94 landfill for disposal."

- 9. A demolition landfill may accept clean fill, waste resulting from 95 96 building or demolishing structures and all other waste not required to be placed in a sanitary landfill or a hazardous waste disposal facility for final disposition.
- 10. Notwithstanding subsection 7 of this section, certain wastes may be 98 99 disposed of as provided by this subsection:
- 100 (1) A person engaged in any activity which produces clean fill may use such material for fill, reclamation or other beneficial purposes on his or her own 101 102 property or on the property of another person with the permission of the owner 103 of such property, provided that such use does not violate any state law or local 104 ordinance or order;
- 105 (2) A person engaged in any activity which produces wood waste may reuse or recycle such waste or may dispose of wood waste on the site where 106 generated if such disposal is in compliance with applicable state law or local 107 108 ordinances or orders;
- 109 (3) A person who engages in clearance, trimming or removal of trees, 110 brush or other vegetation may use wood wastes from such activities for beneficial purposes including, but not limited to, firewood, ground cover, erosion control, 111 112 mulch, compost or cover for wildlife.
 - 302.170. 1. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:
 - (1) "Biometric data", shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
 - 3 (a) Facial feature pattern characteristics;

4 (b) Voice data used for comparing live speech with a previously created 5 speech model of a person's voice;

- (c) Iris recognition data containing color or texture patterns or codes;
- 7 (d) Retinal scans, reading through the pupil to measure blood vessels 8 lining the retina;
- 9 (e) Fingerprint, palm prints, hand geometry, measure of any and all characteristics of biometric information, including shape and length of fingertips, or recording ridge pattern or fingertip characteristics;
- 12 (f) Eye spacing;
 - (g) Characteristic gait or walk;
- 14 (h) DNA;

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- 15 (i) Keystroke dynamic, measuring pressure applied to key pads or other 16 digital receiving devices;
- 17 (2) "Commercial purposes", shall not include data used or compiled solely 18 to be used for, or obtained or compiled solely for purposes expressly allowed 19 under Missouri law or the federal Drivers Privacy Protection Act;
- 20 (3) "Source documents", original or certified copies, where applicable, of documents presented by an applicant as required under 6 CFR Part 37 to the department of revenue to apply for a driver's license or nondriver's license. Source documents shall also include any documents required for the issuance of driver's licenses or nondriver's licenses by the department of revenue under the provisions of this chapter or accompanying regulations.
- 26 2. Except as provided in subsection 3 of this section and as required to 27carry out the provisions of subsection 4 of this section, the department of revenue 28 shall not retain copies, in any format, of source documents presented by individuals applying for or holding driver's licenses or nondriver's licenses or use 29 technology to capture digital images of source documents so that the images are 30 capable of being retained in electronic storage in a transferable 31 32 format. Documents retained as provided or required by subsection 4 of this section shall be stored solely on a system not connected to the internet nor to a 33 wide area network that connects to the internet. Once stored on such system, the 34 35 documents and data shall be purged from any systems on which they were 36 previously stored so as to make them irretrievable.
 - 3. The provisions of this section shall not apply to:
- 38 (1) Original application forms, which may be retained but not scanned 39 except as provided in this section;

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- 40 (2) Test score documents issued by state highway patrol driver examiners 41 and Missouri commercial third-party tester examiners;
- 42 (3) Documents demonstrating lawful presence of any applicant who is not a citizen of the United States, including documents demonstrating duration of the 43 person's lawful presence in the United States; 44
- 45 (4) Any document required to be retained under federal motor carrier regulations in Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, including but not limited to 46 documents required by federal law for the issuance of a commercial driver's 47 license and a commercial driver instruction permit; 48
 - (5) Documents submitted by a commercial driver's license or commercial driver's instruction permit applicant who is a Missouri resident and is a qualified current or former military service member which allow for waiver of the commercial driver's license knowledge test, skills test, or both; and
 - (6) Any other document at the request of and for the convenience of the applicant where the applicant requests the department of revenue review alternative documents as proof required for issuance of a driver's license, nondriver's license, or instruction permit.
- 4. (1) To the extent not prohibited under subsection 13 of this section, the 58 department of revenue shall amend procedures for applying for a driver's license or identification card in order to comply with the goals or standards of the federal REAL ID Act of 2005, any rules or regulations promulgated under the authority granted in such Act, or any requirements adopted by the American Association 62 of Motor Vehicle Administrators for furtherance of the Act, unless such action 63 conflicts with Missouri law.
- 64 (2) The department of revenue shall issue driver's licenses or identification cards that are compliant with the federal REAL ID Act of 2005, as 65 amended, to all applicants for driver's licenses or identification cards unless an 66 applicant requests a driver's license or identification card that is not REAL ID 67 compliant. Except as provided in subsection 3 of this section and as required to 68 carry out the provisions of this subsection, the department of revenue shall not 69 retain the source documents of individuals applying for driver's licenses or 70 identification cards not compliant with REAL ID. Upon initial application for a 71driver's license or identification card, the department shall inform applicants of 73 the option of being issued a REAL ID compliant driver's license or identification card or a driver's license or identification card that is not compliant with REAL 74ID. The department shall inform all applicants:

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76 (a) With regard to the REAL ID compliant driver's license or identification 77 card:

- a. Such card is valid for official state purposes and for official federal purposes as outlined in the federal REAL ID Act of 2005, as amended, such as domestic air travel and seeking access to military bases and most federal facilities;
- b. Electronic copies of source documents will be retained by the department and destroyed after the minimum time required for digital retention by the federal REAL ID Act of 2005, as amended;
- c. The facial image capture will only be retained by the department if the application is finished and submitted to the department; and
 - d. Any other information the department deems necessary to inform the applicant about the REAL ID compliant driver's license or identification card under the federal REAL ID Act;
- 90 (b) With regard to a driver's license or identification card that is not 91 compliant with the federal REAL ID Act:
- a. Such card is valid for official state purposes, but it is not valid for official federal purposes as outlined in the federal REAL ID Act of 2005, as amended, such as domestic air travel and seeking access to military bases and most federal facilities;
 - b. Source documents will be verified but no copies of such documents will be retained by the department unless permitted under subsection 3 of this section, except as necessary to process a request by a license or card holder or applicant;
 - c. Any other information the department deems necessary to inform the applicant about the driver's license or identification card.
- 102 5. The department of revenue shall not use, collect, obtain, share, or 103 retain biometric data nor shall the department use biometric technology to produce a driver's license or nondriver's license or to uniquely identify licensees 104 105 or license applicants. This subsection shall not apply to digital images nor licensee signatures required for the issuance of driver's licenses and nondriver's 106 107 licenses or to biometric data collected from employees of the department of 108 revenue, employees of the office of administration who provide information 109 technology support to the department of revenue, contracted license offices, and 110 contracted manufacturers engaged in the production, processing, or manufacture 111 of driver's licenses or identification cards in positions which require a background

check in order to be compliant with the federal REAL ID Act or any rules or regulations promulgated under the authority of such Act. Except as otherwise provided by law, applicants' source documents and Social Security numbers shall not be stored in any database accessible by any other state or the federal government. Such database shall contain only the data fields included on driver's licenses and nondriver identification cards compliant with the federal REAL ID Act, and the driving records of the individuals holding such driver's licenses and nondriver identification cards.

- 6. Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter that requires an applicant to provide reasonable proof of lawful presence for issuance or renewal of a noncommercial driver's license, noncommercial instruction permit, or a nondriver's license, an applicant shall not have his or her privacy rights violated in order to obtain or renew a Missouri noncommercial driver's license, noncommercial instruction permit, or a nondriver's license.
- 7. No citizen of this state shall have his or her privacy compromised by the state or agents of the state. The state shall within reason protect the sovereignty of the citizens the state is entrusted to protect. Any data derived from a person's application shall not be sold for commercial purposes to any other organization or any other state without the express permission of the applicant without a court order; except such information may be shared with a law enforcement agency, judge, prosecuting attorney, or officer of the court, or with another state for the limited purposes set out in section 302.600, or for the purposes set forth in section 32.091, or for conducting driver history checks in compliance with the Motor Carrier Safety Improvement Act, 49 U.S.C. Section 31309. The state of Missouri shall protect the privacy of its citizens when handling any written, digital, or electronic data, and shall not participate in any standardized identification system using driver's and nondriver's license records except as provided in this section.
- 8. Other than to process a request by a license or card holder or applicant, no person shall access, distribute, or allow access to or distribution of any written, digital, or electronic data collected or retained under this section without the express permission of the applicant or a court order, except that such information may be shared with a law enforcement agency, judge, prosecuting attorney, or officer of the court, or with another state for the limited purposes set out in section 302.600 or for conducting driver history checks in compliance with the Motor Carrier Safety Improvement Act, 49 U.S.C. Section 31309. A first

violation of this subsection shall be a class A misdemeanor. A second violation of this subsection shall be a class E felony. A third or subsequent violation of this subsection shall be a class D felony.

- 9. Any person harmed or damaged by any violation of this section may bring a civil action for damages, including noneconomic [and punitive] damages, as well as injunctive relief, in the circuit court where that person resided at the time of the violation or in the circuit court of Cole County to recover such damages from the department of revenue and any persons participating in such violation. Sovereign immunity shall not be available as a defense for the department of revenue in such an action. In the event the plaintiff prevails on any count of his or her claim, the plaintiff shall be entitled to recover reasonable attorney fees from the defendants.
- 10. The department of revenue may promulgate rules necessary to implement the provisions of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2017, shall be invalid and void.
- 11. Biometric data, digital images, source documents, and licensee signatures, or any copies of the same, required to be collected or retained to comply with the requirements of the federal REAL ID Act of 2005 shall be digitally retained for no longer than the minimum duration required to maintain compliance, and immediately thereafter shall be securely destroyed so as to make them irretrievable.
- 12. No agency, department, or official of this state or of any political subdivision thereof shall use, collect, obtain, share, or retain radio frequency identification data from a REAL ID compliant driver's license or identification card issued by a state, nor use the same to uniquely identify any individual.
 - 13. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the department of revenue shall not amend procedures for applying for a driver's license or identification card, nor promulgate any rule or regulation, for purposes of complying with modifications made to the federal REAL ID Act of 2005 after

184 August 28, 2017, imposing additional requirements on applications, document

- 185 retention, or issuance of compliant licenses or cards, including any rules or
- 186 regulations promulgated under the authority granted under the federal REAL ID
- 187 Act of 2005, as amended, or any requirements adopted by the American
- 188 Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators for furtherance thereof.
- 189 14. If the federal REAL ID Act of 2005 is modified or repealed such that
- 190 driver's licenses and identification cards issued by this state that are not
- 191 compliant with the federal REAL ID Act of 2005 are once again sufficient for
- 192 federal identification purposes, the department shall not issue a driver's license
- 193 or identification card that complies with the federal REAL ID Act of 2005 and
- 194 shall securely destroy, within thirty days, any source documents retained by the
- 195 department for the purpose of compliance with such Act.
- 196 15. The provisions of this section shall expire five years after August 28,
- 197 2017.
 - 417.457. 1. Except to the extent that a material and prejudicial change
 - 2 of position prior to acquiring knowledge or reason to know of misappropriation
 - 3 renders a monetary recovery inequitable, a complainant is entitled to recover
 - 4 damages for misappropriation. Damages can include both the actual loss caused
 - 5 by misappropriation and the unjust enrichment caused by misappropriation that
 - 6 is not taken into account in computing actual loss. In lieu of damages measured
 - 7 by any other methods, the damages caused by misappropriation may be measured
 - 8 by imposition of liability for a reasonable royalty for a misappropriator's
 - 9 unauthorized disclosure or use of a trade secret.
- 2. If misappropriation is outrageous because of the misappropriator's evil
- 11 motive or reckless indifference to the rights of others, the court may award
- 12 punitive damages, except that punitive damages shall not be awarded if
- 13 the misappropriator is a governmental subdivision or agency, or an
- 14 official or employee thereof if such person was acting within the scope
- 15 of his or her official duties or employment.
 - 448.4-117. If a declarant or any other person subject to sections 448.1-101
 - 2 to 448.4-120 fails to comply with any provision hereof or any provision of the
 - 3 declaration or bylaws, any person or class of persons adversely affected by such
 - 4 failure to comply has a claim for appropriate relief. Punitive damages may be
 - 5 awarded in the case of a willful, wanton and malicious failure to comply with any
- 6 provision of sections 448.1-101 to 448.4-120, except that punitive damages
- 7 shall not be awarded if the declarant or any other person subject to

- 8 sections 448.1-101 to 448.4-120 is the government, governmental
- 9 subdivision or agency, or an official or employee thereof if such person
- 10 was acting within the scope of his or her official duties or
- 11 **employment**. The court, in an appropriate case, may award reasonable
- 12 attorney's fees.

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- 510.265. 1. No award of punitive damages against any defendant shall
- 2 exceed the greater of:
 - (1) Five hundred thousand dollars; or
- 4 (2) Five times the net amount of the judgment awarded to the plaintiff
- 5 against the defendant.
- 6 Such limitations shall not apply if the state of Missouri is the plaintiff requesting
- 7 the award of punitive damages, or the defendant pleads guilty to or is convicted
- 8 of a felony arising out of the acts or omissions pled by the plaintiff.
- 9 2. The provisions of this section shall not apply to civil actions brought
- 10 under section 213.111 that allege a violation of section 213.040, 213.045, 213.050,
- 11 or 213.070, to the extent that the alleged violation of section 213.070 relates to
- 12 or involves a violation of section 213.040, 213.045, or 213.050, or subdivision (3)
- 13 of subsection 1 of section 213.070 as it relates to housing.
- 3. In any civil action, punitive damages shall not be awarded
- 15 against the state, a political subdivision of the state, or any official or
- 16 employee thereof if such person was acting within the scope of his or
- 17 her official duties or employment.
 - 537.090. In every action brought under section 537.080, the trier of the
 - 2 facts may give to the party or parties entitled thereto such damages as the trier
 - 3 of the facts may deem fair and just for the death and loss thus occasioned, having
 - 4 regard to the pecuniary losses suffered by reason of the death, funeral expenses,
 - 5 and the reasonable value of the services, consortium, companionship, comfort,
 - 6 instruction, guidance, counsel, training, and support of which those on whose
 - 7 behalf suit may be brought have been deprived by reason of such death and
 - 8 without limiting such damages to those which would be sustained prior to
 - 9 attaining the age of majority by the deceased or by the person suffering any such
- 10 loss. In addition, the trier of the facts may award such damages as the deceased
- 11 may have suffered between the time of injury and the time of death and for the
- 12 recovery of which the deceased might have maintained an action had death not
- 13 ensued. The mitigating or aggravating circumstances attending the death may
- 14 be considered by the trier of the facts, but damages for grief and bereavement by

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reason of the death shall not be recoverable. If the deceased was not employed full time and was at least fifty percent responsible for the care of one or more minors or disabled persons, or persons over sixty-five years of age, there shall be 17 a rebuttable presumption that the value of the care provided, regardless of the 18 number of persons cared for, is equal to one hundred and ten percent of the state 19 average weekly wage, as computed under section 287.250. If the deceased is 20 under the age of eighteen, there shall be a rebuttable presumption that the 22annual pecuniary losses suffered by reason of the death shall be calculated based 23 on the annual income of the deceased's parents, provided that if the deceased has only one parent earning income, then the calculation shall be based on such income, but if the deceased had two parents earning income, then the calculation 26 shall be based on the average of the two incomes. In any action brought 27pursuant to section 537.080, punitive damages or damages based on 28 aggravating circumstances shall not be awarded against a public body or an official or employee of a public body if such person was acting 29 within the scope of his or her official duties or employment. For 30 purposes of this section, the term "public body" shall include the state 32 and any political subdivision thereof.

538.210. 1. A statutory cause of action for damages against a health care provider for personal injury or death arising out of the rendering of or failure to render health care services is hereby created, replacing any such common law cause of action. The elements of such cause of action are that the health care provider failed to use that degree of skill and learning ordinarily used under the same or similar circumstances by members of the defendant's profession and that such failure directly caused or contributed to cause the plaintiff's injury or death.

- 2. (1) In any action against a health care provider for damages for personal injury arising out of the rendering of or the failure to render health care services, no plaintiff shall recover more than four hundred thousand dollars for noneconomic damages irrespective of the number of defendants.
- (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision (1) of this subsection, in any action against a health care provider for damages for a catastrophic personal injury arising out of the rendering or failure to render heath care services, no plaintiff shall recover more than seven hundred thousand dollars for noneconomic damages irrespective of the number of defendants.
- (3) In any action against a health care provider for damages for death arising out of the rendering of or the failure to render health care services, no

plaintiff shall recover more than seven hundred thousand dollars for noneconomic
damages irrespective of the number of defendants.

- 3. (1) This section shall also apply to any individual or entity, or their employees or agents, that provide, refer, coordinate, consult upon, or arrange for the delivery of health care services to the plaintiff; and
- (2) Who is a defendant in a lawsuit brought against a health care provider under this chapter, or who is a defendant in any lawsuit that arises out of the rendering of or the failure to render health care services.
- 4. No health care provider whose liability is limited by the provisions of this chapter shall be liable to any plaintiff based on the actions or omissions of any other entity or individual who is not an employee of such health care provider, unless the individual is an employee of a subsidiary in which the health care provider has a controlling interest and the subsidiary does not carry a professional liability insurance policy or self-insurance covering said individual of at least one million dollars per occurrence and a professional liability insurance policy or self-insurance covering said subsidiary of **at** least one million dollars per occurrence.
- 5. The limitations on liability as provided for in this section shall apply to all claims for contribution.
- 6. In any action against a health care provider for damages for personal injury or death arising out of the rendering of or the failure to render health care services, where the trier of fact is a jury, such jury shall not be instructed by the court with respect to the limitation on an award of noneconomic damages, nor shall counsel for any party or any person providing testimony during such proceeding in any way inform the jury or potential jurors of such limitation.
- 7. For purposes of sections 538.205 to 538.230, any spouse claiming damages for loss of consortium of their spouse shall be considered to be the same plaintiff as their spouse.
- 8. Any provision of law or court rule to the contrary notwithstanding, an award of punitive damages against a health care provider governed by the provisions of sections 538.205 to 538.230 shall be made only upon a showing by a plaintiff that the health care provider demonstrated willful, wanton or malicious misconduct with respect to his actions which are found to have injured or caused or contributed to cause the damages claimed in the petition.
 - 9. In any action brought pursuant to this section, no plaintiff shall recover punitive damages from a health care provider that is a

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- public body or an official or employee of a public body if such person was acting within the scope of his or her official duties or employment. For purposes of this subsection, the term "public body" shall include the state and any political subdivision thereof.
- [9.] 10. For purposes of sections 538.205 to 538.230, all individuals and entities asserting a claim for a wrongful death under section 537.080 shall be considered to be one plaintiff.
- [10.] 11. The limitations on awards for noneconomic damages provided for in this section shall be increased by one and seven-tenths percent on an annual basis effective January first of each year. The current value of the limitation shall be calculated by the director of the department of commerce and insurance, who shall furnish that value to the secretary of state, who shall publish such value in the Missouri Register on the first business day following January first, but the value shall otherwise be exempt from the provisions of section 536.021.
- [11.] 12. In any claim for damages under this chapter, and upon post-trial motion following a jury verdict with noneconomic damages exceeding four hundred thousand dollars, the trial court shall determine whether the limitation in subsection 2 of this section shall apply based on the severity of the most severe injuries.
 - [12.] 13. If a court of competent jurisdiction enters a final judgment on the merits that is not subject to appeal and that declares any provision or part of either section 1.010 or this section to be unconstitutional or unenforceable, then section 1.010 and this section, as amended by this act and in their entirety, are invalid and shall have no legal effect as of the date of such judgment, and this act, including its repealing clause, shall likewise be invalid and of no legal effect. In such event, the versions of sections 1.010 and this section that were in effect prior to the enactment of this act shall remain in force.
 - 542.418. 1. The contents of any wire communication or evidence derived therefrom shall not be received in evidence or otherwise disclosed in any civil or administrative proceeding, except in civil actions brought pursuant to this section.
- 5 2. Any person whose wire communication is intercepted, disclosed, or used 6 in violation of sections 542.400 to 542.422 shall:
- 7 (1) Have a civil cause of action against any person who intercepts, 8 discloses, or uses, or procures any other person to intercept, disclose, or use such

- 9 communications; and
- 10 (2) Be entitled to recover from any such person:
- 11 (a) Actual damages, but not less than liquidated damages computed at the 12 rate of one hundred dollars a day for each day of violation or ten thousand dollars 13 whichever is greater;
- (b) Punitive damages on a showing of a willful or intentional violation of sections 542.400 to 542.422, except that punitive damages shall not be awarded if the person who intercepts, discloses, or uses, or procures any other person to intercept, disclose, or use such communications is an employee or agent of this state or a political subdivision of this state if such person was acting within the scope of his or her employment; and
- 21 (c) A reasonable attorney's fee and other litigation costs reasonably 22 incurred.
- 3. A good faith reliance on a court order or on the provisions of section 542.408 shall constitute a prima facie defense to any civil or criminal action brought under sections 542.400 to 542.422.
- 4. Nothing contained in this section shall limit any cause of action available prior to August 28, 1989.
- 544.195. 1. Nothing in sections 544.193 to 544.197 shall be construed as limiting any common law or statutory rights of any person regarding any action for damages or injunctive relief, or as precluding the prosecution under another provision of law of any law enforcement official or employee who has violated sections 544.193 to 544.197.
- 2. Any person who suffers actual damage as a result of the violation of sections 544.193 to 544.197 may bring a private civil action in the circuit court of any county in which any defendant resides or in which the search complained of occurred or in which any plaintiff resides and a defendant may be found, to recover actual damages. In addition to actual damages, the court may, in its discretion, also award [punitive damages and] such equitable relief as it deems necessary and proper. The court may award reasonable attorney's fees to the prevailing party, which attorney's fees shall be based on the amount of time reasonably expended by an attorney on behalf of the prevailing party.

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