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HOUSE BILL 16-1193

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HOUSE SPONSORSHIP

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House Committees  
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Senate Committees

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING GRANTING ELECTRONIC ACCESS TO COURT  
102 INFORMATION TO ATTORNEYS UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE  
103 OFFICE OF THE RESPONDENT PARENTS' COUNSEL.

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Bill Summary

*(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://www.leg.state.co.us/bills summaries>.)*

**Joint Budget Committee.** The bill grants electronic access to the name index and register of actions to attorneys under contract with the office of the respondent parents' counsel.

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Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.  
Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.  
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 13-1-119.5, **amend**  
3 (1) introductory portion and (1) (e) as follows:

4 **13-1-119.5. Electronic access to name index and register of**  
5 **actions.** (1) Statewide electronic read-only access to the name index and  
6 register of actions of public case types ~~shall~~ **MUST** be made available to  
7 the following agencies or attorneys appointed by the court:

8 (e) A respondent ~~parent~~ PARENT'S counsel ~~appointed by the court~~  
9 ~~and paid by the judicial department~~ UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE OFFICE  
10 OF THE RESPONDENT PARENTS' COUNSEL, CREATED IN SECTION 13-92-103,  
11 OR AUTHORIZED BY THE OFFICE OF THE RESPONDENT PARENTS' COUNSEL  
12 TO ACT AS A RESPONDENT PARENT'S COUNSEL, as it relates to a case in  
13 which they are appointed by the court; and

14 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 19-1-304, **amend** (7)  
15 introductory portion and (7) (e) as follows:

16 **19-1-304. Juvenile delinquency records - division of youth**  
17 **corrections critical incident information - definitions.** (7) In addition  
18 to the persons who have access to court records pursuant to paragraph (a)  
19 of subsection (1) of this section, statewide electronic read-only access to  
20 the name index and register of actions of the judicial department ~~shall~~  
21 **MUST** be allowed to the following agencies or attorneys appointed by the  
22 court:

23 (e) A respondent ~~parent~~ PARENT'S counsel ~~appointed by the court~~  
24 ~~and paid by the judicial department~~ UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE OFFICE  
25 OF THE RESPONDENT PARENTS' COUNSEL, CREATED IN SECTION 13-92-103,  
26 C.R.S., OR AUTHORIZED BY THE OFFICE OF THE RESPONDENT PARENTS'  
27 COUNSEL TO ACT AS A RESPONDENT PARENT'S COUNSEL, as it relates to a

1 case in which they are appointed by the court.

2 **SECTION 3. Effective date.** This act takes effect July 1, 2016.

3 **SECTION 4. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,  
4 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate  
5 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.