CHAPTER 1017

FEDERAL PROBATION OFFICER ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION FILED WITH A COURT — WARRANTS

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AN ACT relating to a probation officer's access to confidential information filed with the court for securing an arrest or search warrant.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 804.29, subsection 2, Code 2024, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

<u>NEW PARAGRAPH</u>. *f.* A probation officer employed by the United States, acting pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §3602.

Sec. 2. Section 808.13, Code 2024, is amended to read as follows:

808.13 Confidentiality.

All information filed with the court for the purpose of securing a warrant for a search, including but not limited to an application and affidavits, shall be a confidential record until such time as a peace officer has executed the warrant and has made return thereon. During the period of time that information is confidential it shall be sealed by the court, and the information contained therein shall not be disseminated to any person other than a peace officer, magistrate, court employee, an employee of the department of corrections, if authorized by the director of the department of corrections, or an employee of a judicial district department of correctional services, if authorized by the director of the judicial district department of correctional services, or a probation officer employed by the United States, acting pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §3602, in the course of official duties.

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