

SENATE FILE 271  
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the confidentiality of information regarding a  
2 juvenile who has escaped from a detention facility.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 232.149, Code 1997, is amended by  
2 adding the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 3. Notwithstanding subsection 2, if a  
4 juvenile who has been placed in detention under section  
5 232.22, escapes from the facility, the criminal or juvenile  
6 justice agency may release the name of the juvenile, the facts  
7 surrounding the escape, and the offense or alleged offense  
8 which resulted in the placement of the juvenile in the  
9 facility.

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EXPLANATION

11 This bill allows criminal and juvenile justice agencies to  
12 release certain information relating to the escape of a  
13 juvenile from a facility in which the juvenile has been placed  
14 for detention. If a juvenile escapes from such a facility,  
15 the agencies are permitted to release the name of the  
16 juvenile, the facts surrounding the escape, and the offense or  
17 alleged offenses which resulted in the placement of the  
18 juvenile in the facility.

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