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(A) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS SUBTITLE, NO RECORD MAY BE MAINTAINED OR DISSEMINATED IN A MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF § 3-828 OF THE COURTS AND JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS ARTICLE.

(B) NOTWITHSTANDING § 3-828(A) OF THE COURTS AND JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS ARTICLE, A REPORTABLE EVENT DESCRIBED UNDER § 747(A)(21) OF THIS SUBTITLE AND FINGERPRINTING OF A CHILD REQUIRED UNDER § 747A OF THIS SUBTITLE NEED NOT BE MAINTAINED SEPARATE AND APART FROM THOSE OF ADULTS.

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(b) (1) A court record pertaining to a child is confidential and its contents may not be divulged, by subpoena or otherwise, except by order of the court upon good cause shown.

(2) This subsection does not prohibit access to and the use of the court record OR FINGERPRINTS OF A CHILD DESCRIBED UNDER THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION SYSTEM SUBTITLE OF ARTICLE 27 OF THE CODE in a proceeding in the court involving the child, by personnel of the court, the State's Attorney, counsel for the child, a court-appointed special advocate for the child, or authorized personnel of the Department of Juvenile Services, or, in a proceeding involving a child alleged to be in need of assistance, by authorized personnel of the Social Services Administration and local departments of social services of the Department of Human Resources in order to conduct a child abuse or neglect investigation or to comply with requirements imposed under Title IV-E of the Social Security Act.

(3) Information obtained from a juvenile court record by authorized personnel of the Department of Human Resources under paragraph (2) of this subsection is subject to the provisions of Article 88A, § 6 of the Code.

(4) (I) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT PROHIBIT ACCESS TO AND CONFIDENTIAL USE OF THE COURT RECORD OR FINGERPRINTS OF A CHILD DESCRIBED UNDER THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION SYSTEM SUBTITLE OF ARTICLE 27 OF THE CODE IN AN INVESTIGATION AND PROSECUTION BY A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY.

(II) THE COURT RECORD OR FINGERPRINTS OF A CHILD DESCRIBED UNDER ARTICLE 27, §§ 747(A)(21) AND 747A OF THE CODE MAY NOT BE DISCLOSED TO:

1. A FEDERAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCY OR INFORMATION CENTER; OR