

House Bill 1351
Senate Judiciary Committee
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Good morning Chair Larson, members of the committee. My name is Sara Behrens and I am a staff attorney with the State Court Administrator's Office. I am here today to offer an amendment to HB 1351.

The amendments are found on page 2, lines 3-8. The amendment clarifies that the court may require a party filing pleadings which include identifying characteristics of a plaintiff under this new chapter to redact those identifying characteristics. The change was made to "filing party" because it could be either the plaintiff or defendant filing a document containing plaintiff information. The party required to redact must file a redacted and unredacted version and serve it on all other parties.

Thank you for your consideration of these amendments.