

CBA LPRC POSITION REQUEST FORM

The CBA Family Law Section Law position request is as follows:

- 1) Proposed legislative or regulatory concept:
The Section opposes legislation that amends the General Statutes to make confidential all information contained in files and reports contained from Family Services and not subject to subpoena or other court process for use in any other proceeding or for any other purpose.

- 2) Explanation and rationale for advancing this position:
This proposed new language, this means that we will no longer be able to subpoena FRO files in cases where they have conducted evaluation, relocation studies or any of the other non-privileged functions under their purview.

- 3) Is draft regulation, legislation or proposed bill included? The proposed bill is **section 14 of HB 5393**.

- 4) What is the date of any legislative hearing, if known? March 18, 2022.

- 5) Was this position previously approved by the CBA? If so, when does/did it expire? No prior position was advanced to the CBA.

- 6) Is the CBA section or committee seeking to join a previously approved CBA section or committee position? No.

- 7) Potential or actual CBA opposition from another CBA section or committee? None anticipated.

- 8) Strength of section position (including process and results of section vote taken on issue): The Section position was approved by unanimous vote of the Executive Committee.

- 9) Fiscal impact (on the state): None anticipated.