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S 1098. NO THIRD PARTY RELEASE OF SSN. *PROHIBITING THE RELEASE OF AN INDIVIDUAL'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER WITHOUT THE INDIVIDUAL'S CONSENT*. Enacts new GS 143-64.61 providing that no State or local government agency may release an individual's social security number without the individual's express consent, unless the release is made pursuant to a State or federal law that specifically requires the disclosure. Enacts new GS Chapter 99F, specifying the same prohibition with respect to release of social security number by a person. Provides that an individual who is injured on account of a violation of GS Chapter 99F may bring an action for actual damages against the person who unlawfully released the individual's social security number. Effective December 1, 2005.

Intro. by Boseman.

Ref. to Judiciary I GS 99F, 143