## 109TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

## H. R. 2387

To provide an exemption from certain requirements under the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 17, 2005

Mr. Kennedy of Minnesota (for himself and Mr. Peterson of Minnesota) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

## A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Privacy Protection Act
- 5 of 2005".
- 6 SEC. 2. EXEMPTION.
- 7 Section 509(3) of the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act (15
- 8 U.S.C. 6809(3)) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
- 9 lowing new subparagraph:

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"(E) CERTAIN FINANCIAL INSTITU-TIONS.—Notwithstanding subparagraph (A),the term 'financial institution' does not include any provider of financial services, or any affiliate thereof, that is subject to regulation of client confidentiality that prohibits unauthorized disclosure of confidential client information without the consent of the client in the form of laws, rules, or regulation of professional conduct or ethics promulgated either by the court of highest appellate authority or by the principal legislative body or regulatory agency or body of any State of the United States, the District of Columbia, any territory of the United States, Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, the Virgin Islands, or the Northern Mariana Islands, or by the laws of the United States.".

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