

(NEW) (e) (1) Whenever a person was convicted of one or more misdemeanors committed while such person was under eighteen years of age, and the offense or offenses occurred on or after January 1, 1999 and before July 1, 2012, all police and court records and records of the state's or prosecuting attorney shall be deemed erased by operation of law. This subdivision shall not apply to a motor vehicle offense or violation under title 14. The clerk of the court or any person charged with retention and control of such records in the records center of the Judicial Department or any law enforcement agency having information contained in such erased records shall not disclose to anyone, except the subject of the record, upon submission pursuant to guidelines prescribed by the Office of the Chief Court Administrator of satisfactory proof of the subject's identity, information pertaining to any charge erased under this subdivision and such clerk or person charged with the retention and control of such records shall forward a notice of such erasure to any law enforcement agency and the state's or prosecuting attorney to which he knows information concerning the arrest has been disseminated direct that all law enforcement and records of the state's or prosecuting attorney pertaining to such case to be erased.

(2) Whenever a person was convicted of one or more misdemeanors committed while such person was under eighteen years of age, and the offense or offenses occurred before January 1, 1999, such person may file a petition with the superior court at the location in which such conviction was effected for an order of erasure, and the superior court shall direct all police and court records and records of the state's or prosecuting attorney pertaining to such case to be erased.

(3) Notwithstanding subsection (g) of this section, the provisions of this subsection shall not apply in cases in which there has been conviction of a felony charge or charges arising from the same information as the misdemeanor charge or charges.

*[change renumbering of sections that follow]*