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H.B. No. 876

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the disclosure of certain public information collected
3 by the Texas Department of Insurance.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter E, Chapter 38, Insurance Code, is
6 amended by adding Section 38.208 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 38.208. PUBLIC INFORMATION. Notwithstanding Section
8 552.110, Government Code, information collected by the department
9 under this subchapter is public information that is not
10 confidential and is subject to disclosure under Chapter 552,
11 Government Code.

12 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
13 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
14 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
15 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
16 Act takes effect September 1, 2003.