

1-1 By: Van Arsdale (Senate Sponsor - Lindsay) H.B. No. 723
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House March 29, 2005;
1-3 March 30, 2005, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Jurisprudence; May 5, 2005, reported favorably by the following
1-5 vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0; May 5, 2005, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to certain reports filed with the bureau of vital
1-9 statistics.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 194.002(d), Health and Safety Code, is
1-12 amended to read as follows:

1-13 (d) Not later than the ninth day of each month, each
1-14 district clerk shall file with the bureau of vital statistics a
1-15 completed report for each divorce or annulment of marriage granted
1-16 in the district court during the preceding calendar month. If a
1-17 report does not include the information required by Subsection
1-18 (a)(3) or (4), the clerk must complete that information on the
1-19 report before the clerk files the report with the bureau.

1-20 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-21 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-22 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-23 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-24 Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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