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H.B. No. 1123

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to military discharge records that are recorded with or
3 otherwise in the possession of a governmental body.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 552.140(a), Government Code, is amended
6 to read as follows:

7 (a) This section applies [~~only~~] to a military veteran's
8 Department of Defense Form DD-214 or other military discharge
9 record that is [~~first~~] recorded with or [~~that~~] otherwise in [~~first~~
10 ~~comes into~~] the possession of a governmental body [~~on or after~~
11 ~~September 1, 2003~~].

12 SECTION 2. Section 192.002(c)(1), Local Government Code, is
13 amended to read as follows:

14 (c)(1) This subsection applies [~~only~~] in relation to a
15 military discharge record that is recorded with a county clerk
16 under this section, regardless of the date of recordation [~~before~~
17 ~~September 1, 2003~~].

18 SECTION 3. Section 192.002(c)(3), Local Government Code, is
19 repealed.

20 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
21 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
22 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
23 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
24 Act takes effect September 1, 2005.