

1-1 By: Whitmire S.B. No. 909  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 3, 2005; March 14, 2005, read  
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Justice;  
1-4 April 13, 2005, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6,  
1-5 Nays 0; April 13, 2005, sent to printer.)

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

1-8 relating to the maintenance and contents of certain computerized  
1-9 information systems relating to the criminal justice system.

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

1-11 SECTION 1. Article 42.01, Code of Criminal Procedure, is  
1-12 amended by adding Section 9 to read as follows:

1-13 Sec. 9. In addition to the information described by Section  
1-14 1, the judgment should reflect:

1-15 (1) the state identification number assigned by the  
1-16 Department of Public Safety to the defendant under Chapter 60; and

1-17 (2) the tracking incident number (TRN) assigned under  
1-18 Article 60.07(b)(1) to the individual incident of arrest to which  
1-19 the judgment relates.

1-20 SECTION 2. Subsection (a), Article 60.052, Code of Criminal  
1-21 Procedure, is amended to read as follows:

1-22 (a) Information in the corrections tracking system relating  
1-23 to a sentence to be served under the jurisdiction of the Texas  
1-24 Department of Criminal Justice must include:

1-25 (1) the offender's name;

1-26 (2) the offender's state identification number;

1-27 (3) the sentencing date;

1-28 (4) the sentence for each offense by offense code and  
1-29 incident number;

1-30 (5) if the offender was sentenced to imprisonment:

1-31 (A) the unit of imprisonment;

1-32 (B) the length of sentence for each offense; and

1-33 (C) if multiple sentences were ordered, whether  
1-34 they were ordered to be served consecutively or concurrently; ~~and~~

1-35 (6) if a sentence other than a fine or imprisonment was  
1-36 ordered, a description of the sentence ordered; and

1-37 (7) the tracking incident number (TRN) assigned under  
1-38 Article 60.07(b)(1) to the individual incident of arrest that is  
1-39 the basis of the offender's conviction.

1-40 SECTION 3. Subsection (b), Section 509.004, Government  
1-41 Code, is amended to read as follows:

1-42 (b) The division shall develop an automated tracking system  
1-43 that:

1-44 (1) is capable of receiving tracking data from  
1-45 community supervision and corrections departments' caseload  
1-46 management and accounting systems;

1-47 (2) is capable of tracking the defendant and the  
1-48 sentencing event at which the defendant was placed on community  
1-49 supervision by name or state identification number assigned by the  
1-50 Department of Public Safety to the defendant under Chapter 60, Code  
1-51 of Criminal Procedure, arrest charge code, and the tracking  
1-52 incident number assigned under Article 60.07(b)(1), Code of  
1-53 Criminal Procedure;

1-54 (3) provides the division with the statistical data it  
1-55 needs to support budget requests and satisfy requests for  
1-56 information; and

1-57 (4) is compatible with the requirements of Chapter 60,  
1-58 Code of Criminal Procedure, and the information systems used by the  
1-59 institutional division and the pardons and paroles division of the  
1-60 Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

1-61 SECTION 4. The change in law made by this Act in amending  
1-62 Article 42.01, Code of Criminal Procedure, applies only to a  
1-63 judgment of a court that is entered on or after September 1, 2005.

1-64 SECTION 5. The changes in law made by this Act in amending

2-1 Article 60.052, Code of Criminal Procedure, and Section 509.004,  
2-2 Government Code, apply only to a criminal history record created  
2-3 for a defendant arrested for an offense committed on or after  
2-4 September 1, 2005.

2-5 SECTION 6. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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