

1-1 By: Whitmire S.B. No. 1469
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 10, 2005; March 21, 2005, read
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Justice;
1-4 April 22, 2005, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6,
1-5 Nays 0; April 22, 2005, sent to printer.)

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

1-8 relating to reporting the deaths of certain individuals.

1-9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-10 SECTION 1. Article 49.24, Code of Criminal Procedure, is
1-11 amended by adding Subsection (g) to read as follows:

1-12 (g) For the purposes of this article, the definition of
1-13 "institution" excludes hospitals.

1-14 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-15 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-16 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-17 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-18 Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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