

Amend Committee Amendment No. 1 by Flynn to HB 2684 by striking the text of the amendment and substituting the following:

(2) the 60th day after the date the suit was filed, if:

(A) the parties submit to the court a certificate of completion of a crisis marriage education course under Section 6.412; or

(B) a party submits to the court evidence that the other party to the suit has committed family violence against the party or mentally, emotionally, verbally, or psychologically abused the party, including:

(i) a copy of a protective order issued under Title 4 against the other party because of family violence;

(ii) a police record documenting family violence by the other party against the party submitting the evidence;

(iii) a statement by a physician or other medical evidence that indicates that the party submitting the evidence was a victim of family violence; or

(iv) a sworn statement by a counselor or advocate in a family violence program that indicates that the party submitting the evidence was a victim of family violence or mental, emotional, verbal, or psychological abuse.