

Amend SB 6 (House Committee Printing) as follows:

(1) In SECTION 1 of the bill, strike added Subdivision (2), Article 24A.001, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 1, lines 17-18), and substitute the following:

(2) is served on or issued with respect to an Internet service provider, electronic communications service provider, or remote computing service provider that provides service in this state or to any person or entity located in this state.

(2) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subchapter A, Chapter 24A, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 1, between lines 18 and 19), between added Articles 24A.001 and 24A.002, insert the following:

Art. 24A.002. DEFINITIONS. In this chapter:

(1) "Electronic communications service provider" means a company or other entity that provides to users of the company's or entity's service the ability to send and receive wire or electronic communications.

(2) "Internet service provider" means a company or other entity that provides Internet connectivity to the company's or entity's customers.

(3) "Remote computing service provider" means a company or other entity that provides computer storage or processing services to the public by means of an electronic communications system.

(3) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Article 24A.002, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 1, line 19), strike "Art. 24A.002" and substitute "Art. 24A.003".

(4) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subsection (a), Article 24A.002, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 1, line 21), strike "Internet service provider" and substitute "Internet service provider, electronic communications service provider, or remote computing service provider".

(5) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subsection (a), Article 24A.002, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 1, line 23), strike "Internet service".

(6) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subdivision (2), Subsection (a), Article 24A.002, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 2, line 3), strike "Internet service".

(7) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subsection (b), Article 24A.002, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 2, line 6), strike "Internet service provider" and substitute "Internet service provider, electronic communications service provider, or remote computing service provider".

(8) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subsection (b), Article 24A.002, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 2, lines 8-9), strike "Internet service".

(9) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Article 24A.003, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 2, line 21), strike "Art. 24A.003" and substitute "Art. 24A.004".

(10) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Article 24A.003, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 2, line 22), strike "Internet service provider" and substitute "Internet service provider, electronic communications service provider, or remote computing service provider".

(11) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Article 24A.003, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 2, line 25), strike "Article 24A.002(a)(2)" and substitute "Article 24A.003(a)(2)".

(12) In the expansion clause, on page 2, line 27, strike "Articles 24A.004" and substitute "Articles 24A.005".

(13) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subsection (a), Article 24A.051, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 3, lines 5-6), strike "Internet service provider that provides service in this state" and substitute "Internet service provider, electronic communications service provider, or remote computing service provider".

(14) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subsection (a), Article 24A.051, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 3, line 8), strike "Internet service".

(15) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subsection (b), Article 24A.051, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 3, line 10), strike "an Internet service" and substitute "a".

(16) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subsection (b), Article 24A.051, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 3, line 12), strike "Internet service".

(17) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Subsection (c),

Article 24A.051, Code of Criminal Procedure (page 3, line 14), strike "An Internet service" and substitute "A".

(18) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION _____. Subchapter D, Chapter 35, Business & Commerce Code, is amended by adding Section 35.532 to read as follows:

Sec. 35.532. DISCLOSURE OF CERTAIN SEX OFFENDER SCREENINGS REQUIRED. (a) In this section, "Internet dating service" means a service that is provided over the Internet and is designed to arrange or facilitate the social introduction of two or more persons for the purpose of promoting the meeting of compatible individuals. The term includes compatibility evaluations.

(b) A provider of Internet dating services shall disclose to users of the services who have Texas addresses or zip codes whether the provider, using a database with substantial national coverage of felony convictions and of offenses for which a person is required to register as a sex offender under the laws of this or any other state, screens users of the Internet dating services. If a provider of Internet dating services screens users of the Internet dating services in a manner described by this subsection, the provider must include a description of any limitations of the screening tool used by the provider.

(c) A provider of Internet dating services:

(1) shall include the disclosure required by Subsection (b) in a clear and conspicuous manner in all communications the provider has with all users of the provider's services; and

(2) must provide the disclosure required by Subsection (b) to users of the services who have Texas addresses or zip codes before allowing those users to communicate with other users of the services.

(d) Failure to provide the disclosure required by this section in the manner and at the time required by this section is a deceptive trade practice under Subchapter E, Chapter 17.

(e) The attorney general may adopt rules as necessary to implement and enforce this section.