

By: Paxton

H.B. No. 818

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the creation of two additional judicial districts in
3 Collin County.

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

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 24, Government Code, is
6 amended by adding Section 24.573 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 24.573. 429TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT (COLLIN COUNTY). The
8 429th Judicial District is composed of Collin County.

9 SECTION 2. Effective October 1, 2008, Subchapter C, Chapter
10 24, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 24.575 to read as
11 follows:

12 Sec. 24.575. 431ST JUDICIAL DISTRICT (COLLIN COUNTY). The
13 431st Judicial District is composed of Collin County.

14 SECTION 3. (a) Notwithstanding Section 6 of this Act, for
15 purposes of Section 201.027, Election Code, the effective date of
16 Section 2 of this Act is October 1, 2008.

17 (b) Notwithstanding Section 24.311, Government Code, the
18 initial vacancy in the office of judge of the 431st Judicial
19 District shall be filled by election. The office exists for
20 purposes of the primary and general elections in 2008. A vacancy
21 after the initial vacancy is filled as provided by Section 28,
22 Article V, Texas Constitution.

23 SECTION 4. The 429th Judicial District is created October
24 1, 2007.

1 SECTION 5. The 431st Judicial District is created October
2 1, 2008.

3 SECTION 6. This Act takes effect October 1, 2007.