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S.B. No. 1891

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the voluntary disclosure of public information.

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

SECTION 1. Section 552.007, Government Code, is amended by amending Subsection (b) and adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

(b) Release of information held by a prosecutor to a licensed attorney representing a defendant in pending or reasonably anticipated criminal litigation does not constitute a voluntary disclosure for purposes of this section and does not foreclose a governmental body's assertion of the exceptions to required disclosure under Subchapter C with respect to the released information.

(c) Except as provided by Subsection (b), public information made available under Subsection (a) must be made available to any person.