S.B. No. 2072 1-1 By: Duncan 1-2 1-3 (In the Senate - Filed March 12, 2009; March 31, 2009, read time and referred to Committee on State Affairs; first 1-4 April 14, 2009, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; April 14, 2009, sent to printer.) 1-5

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

1-8 relating to contracting with the secretary of state for the filing of personal financial statements by officers and employees of 1-9 1-10 1-11 certain counties.

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

1-12 SECTION 1. Subsection Section 159.034, (a), Local Government Code, is amended to read as follows: 1-13

(a) The commissioners court may require the report to be 1-14 filed with the clerk of the commissioners court, the county auditor, or any other county officer. However, the commissioners court may require the report to be filed with the county clerk or 1**-**15 1**-**16 1-17 other elected county officer only if the county clerk or elected county officer consents to the imposition of that duty. [The commissioners court may contract with the secretary of state for the filing of reports under this subchapter.] 1-18 1-19 1-20 1-21

1-22 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as 1-23 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this 1-24 1**-**25 1**-**26 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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