By: Coleman   H.B. No. 2947

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1   AN ACT

2 relating to the exception of an audit working paper of a hospital

3 district from required disclosure under the public information law.

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

5   SECTION 1. Section 552.116(a), Government Code, is amended

6 to read as follows:

7   (a) An audit working paper of an audit of the state auditor

8 or the auditor of a state agency, an institution of higher education

9 as defined by Section 61.003, Education Code, a county, a

10 municipality, a school district, a hospital district, or a joint

11 board operating under Section 22.074, Transportation Code,

12 including any audit relating to the criminal history background

13 check of a public school employee, is excepted from the

14 requirements of Section 552.021. If information in an audit

15 working paper is also maintained in another record, that other

16 record is not excepted from the requirements of Section 552.021 by

17 this section.

18   SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies to an

19 audit working paper created before, on, or after the effective date

20 of this Act.

21   SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives

22 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as

23 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this

24 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this

1 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.