S.B. No. 251

1	AN ACT
2	relating to an unsworn declaration made by an employee of a state
3	agency or political subdivision in the performance of the
4	employee's job duties.
5	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
6	SECTION 1. Section 132.001, Civil Practice and Remedies
7	Code, is amended by amending Subsection (d) and adding Subsection
8	(f) to read as follows:
9	(d) Except as provided by <u>Subsections</u> [Subsection] (e) <u>and</u>
10	(f), an unsworn declaration made under this section must include a
11	jurat in substantially the following form:
12	"My name is, my
13	(First) (Middle) (Last)
14	date of birth is, and my address is
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16	(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)
17	and I declare under penalty of
18	(Country)
19	perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
20	Executed in County, State of, on
21	the day of,
22	(Month) (Year)
23	
24	Declarant"

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(f) An unsworn declaration made under this section by an
employee of a state agency or a political subdivision in the
performance of the employee's job duties, must include a jurat in
substantially the following form:
"My name is
(First) (Middle) (Last)
and I am an employee of the following governmental
agency: I am executing this
declaration as part of my assigned duties and
responsibilities. I declare under penalty of perjury
that the foregoing is true and correct.
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Executed in County, State of , on theday of (Month) (Year) Declarant"
Executed in County, State of , on theday of, (Month) (Year) Declarant" SECTION 2. Subsection (f), Section 132.001, Civil Practice
Executed in County, State of , on theday of (Month) (Year) Declarant" SECTION 2. Subsection (f), Section 132.001, Civil Practice and Remedies Code, as added by this Act, applies only to an unsworn
Executed in County, State of , on theday of (Month) (Year)
Executed in County, State of

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24 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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President of the Senate Speaker of the House I hereby certify that S.B. No. 251 passed the Senate on March 13, 2013, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 251 passed the House on May 22, 2013, by the following vote: Yeas 147, Nays 1, two present not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

Date

Governor