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S.B. No. 911

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the form of a marriage license and an application for a marriage license.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2.009, Family Code, is amended by adding Subsection (e) to read as follows:

(e) A license issued by a county clerk under this section must identify the county in which the license is issued but may not specify the name of the county clerk.

SECTION 2. Section 194.0011(a), Health and Safety Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The executive commissioner by rule shall prescribe the format and content of the department form used for the marriage license application. The form:

(1) may not require that the name of the county clerk appear on the application; and

(2) must require identification of the county in which the application is submitted.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect January 1, 2018.