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By:  Paxton S.B. No. 536

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the confidentiality of certain information concerning persons licensed by the Texas Behavioral Health Executive Council.

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

SECTION 1.  Subchapter D, Chapter 507, Occupations Code, is amended by adding Section 507.161 to read as follows:

Sec. 507.161.  CONFIDENTIALITY OF HOME ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER. Except as provided by Section 507.160(d), the home address and telephone number of a license holder is confidential and not subject to disclosure under Chapter 552, Government Code.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2023.