1-1	By: Watson S.B. No. 494
1-2	(In the Senate - Filed February 9, 2015; February 11, 2015,
1-3	read first time and referred to Committee on Business and Commerce;
1-4	March 23, 2015, reported adversely, with favorable Committee
1-5	Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; March 23, 2015,
1-6	sent to printer.)
1-7	COMMITTEE VOTE
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1-18	COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 494 By: Watson
1-19	A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-20	AN ACT
1-21	<pre>relating to the availability of certain property and casualty</pre>
1-22	insurance forms on the Internet.
1-23	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
1-24	SECTION 1. Section 1812.002, Insurance Code, is amended by
1-25	adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:
1-26	(c) The office of public insurance counsel may post an
1-27	insurer's specimen policy on the office's Internet website. The
1-28	posting, other than a posting described by Subsection (a), of an
1-29	insurer's specimen policy on an Internet website does not create a
1-30	duty to comply with the requirements of this chapter.
1-31	SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-32	a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-33	provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-34	Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-35	Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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