

1-1 By: Alvarado (Senate Sponsor - Miles) H.B. No. 998
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 8, 2017;
1-3 May 9, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on State
1-4 Affairs; May 15, 2017, reported favorably by the following vote:
1-5 Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 15, 2017, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-7				
1-8	Huffman	X		
1-9	Hughes	X		
1-10	Birdwell	X		
1-11	Creighton	X		
1-12	Estes	X		
1-13	Lucio	X		
1-14	Nelson	X		
1-15	Schwertner	X		
1-16	Zaffirini	X		

1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to the confidentiality of certain information stored as
1-20 part of the preparation of campaign finance reports required to be
1-21 filed with the clerk of certain counties or municipalities.

1-22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-23 SECTION 1. Section [254.0401](#), Election Code, is amended by
1-24 adding Subsection (g) to read as follows:

1-25 (g) Electronic report data saved in a temporary storage
1-26 location of the authority with whom the report is filed for later
1-27 retrieval and editing before the report is filed is confidential
1-28 and may not be disclosed. After the report is filed with the
1-29 authority, the information disclosed in the filed report is public
1-30 information to the extent provided by this title.

1-31 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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