

1-1 By: Paxton S.B. No. 466
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed November 22, 2024; February 3, 2025,
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Health & Human
1-4 Services; May 7, 2025, reported adversely, with favorable
1-5 Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0;
1-6 May 7, 2025, sent to printer.)

1-7	COMMITTEE VOTE				
1-8		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-9	Kolkhorst	X			
1-10	Perry	X			
1-11	Blanco	X			
1-12	Cook	X			
1-13	Hall	X			
1-14	Hancock	X			
1-15	Hughes	X			
1-16	Miles	X			
1-17	Sparks	X			

1-18 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 466 By: Perry

1-19 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-20 AN ACT

1-21 relating to the definition of fetal death certificate.
1-22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
1-23 SECTION 1. Section 674.001(2), Health and Safety Code, is
1-24 amended to read as follows:
1-25 (2) "Fetal death certificate" means a death
1-26 certificate filed for:
1-27 (A) any fetus weighing 350 grams or more or, if
1-28 the weight is unknown, a fetus age 20 weeks or more as calculated
1-29 from the start date of the last normal menstrual period to the date
1-30 of delivery; or
1-31 (B) a fetus of any weight or gestational age
1-32 whose family member requests a death certificate.
1-33 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-34 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-35 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-36 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-37 Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

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