

## **Finding of Date of Marriage – Amendment of Family Code § 6.711**

See Accompanying Bill Analysis for Narrative Explanation.

The proposed legislation has not previously been submitted to the legislature.

The proposed legislation has been submitted to all sections and committees of the State bar of Texas as required by §8.01.06(D) of the Legislative Policy of the State Bar of Texas. If comments are received, I will forward them to the State Bar.

Respectfully submitted,

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Its: Co-Chair Legislative Committee

## **Analysis of Amendment to Family Code Section 6.711 Requiring Finding of Date of Marriage in Suits for Dissolution of Marriage**

This bill amends Family Code Section 6.711 by adding subparagraph (d) which requires the court to state, in the judgment terminating the parties marriage, the date the court finds that the parties were married. This finding provides certainty, in the event of future litigation in which the date of the parties' marriage is relevant.