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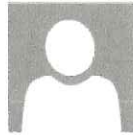
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To: DON CORAM

Greetings Representative Coram

Please accept this email as a comment on your proposed Bill and enter it into the record.

I am very pleased to see this further structuring of stature to ensure our privacy rights. I fully support this Bill. Over the past several years, Montrose Memorial Hospital has required county appointed trustees to provide this information to serve on this board even though trustees can only be appointed and removed by the county commissioners. This is a clear over each by the hospital board at the request of their counsel, citing HIPAA requirements when on fact, trustees at this time only serve as a leading board and do not even hold their meetings on hospital property. The leading group removed the trustee board some time ago.

This same board refused to allow a properly appointed trustee to sit at the table or participate in trustee business. This is a clear violation of the statue for failure to provide his social security number even when that person provided a complete background check performed by the county sheriff.

I find these actions egregious and unconscionable. This Bill will alleviate future situations and clearly defines the intended purpose of maintaining a person's privacy while allowing that person to serve his community/region.

Sincerely,

Dianna Reams