

Chapter 382

H.B. No. 4284

1 AN ACT  
2 relating to the jurisdiction of the statutory county courts of  
3 Potter County in family law matters.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 25.1902(b), Government Code, is amended  
6 to read as follows:

7 (b) A county court at law in [~~The County Court at Law No. 2~~  
8 ~~of~~] Potter County [~~also~~] has concurrent jurisdiction with the  
9 district court in family law cases and proceedings.

10 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

*Jan Patul*

President of the Senate

*Joe Straus*

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 4284 was passed by the House on May 4, 2017, by the following vote: Yeas 143, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting.

*Robert Honey*

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 4284 was passed by the Senate on May 19, 2017, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

*Patsy Spaw*

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: 5-31-2017

Date

*Greg Abbott*

Governor

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SECRETARY OF STATE  
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*[Signature]*

Secretary of State

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**FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 10, 2017**

**TO:** Honorable Joan Huffman, Chair, Senate Committee on State Affairs

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB4284** by Price (Relating to the jurisdiction of the statutory county courts of Potter County in family law matters.), **As Engrossed**

**No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would amend the Government Code to extend jurisdiction over family law cases and proceedings in Potter County to all county courts at law in Potter County. Based on the analysis of the Office of Court Administration, duties and responsibilities associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be accomplished using existing resources.

**Local Government Impact**

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council

**LBB Staff:** UP, AG, FR, PBO

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**FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 9, 2017**

**TO:** Honorable Harold V. Dutton, Jr., Chair, House Committee on Juvenile Justice & Family Issues

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE:** **HB4284** by Price (Relating to the jurisdiction of the statutory county courts of Potter County in family law matters.), **As Introduced**

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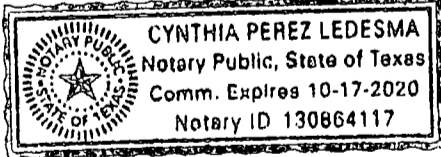
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**NOTICE OF INTENT TO INTRODUCE A BILL  
BEFORE THE 85TH LEGISLATURE**  
This is to give notice of intent to introduce in the 85th Legislature, Regular Session, a bill to be entitled, "An Act relating to jurisdiction of the Potter County Court at Law No. 1". By Resolution of the Potter County Commissioners Court on 02-13-2017.

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
BEFORE ME, a Notary Public in and for the  
State of Texas, personally appeared

*Diane Maynard*  
LEGAL CLERK of the Amarillo Globe-News Publishing  
Company, after being by me duly sworn did dispose and  
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Sworn and subscribed to before me the 17<sup>th</sup> day of February 2017

*Cynthia Perez Ledesma*  
Notary Public State of Texas