

The Texas Committee on Insurance Fraud

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HB 148 Ruled Unconstitutional

It is unfortunate that Judge Yeakel ruled HB 148 unconstitutional. Ambulance chasing by way of calling crash victims on the phone or soliciting them in person by people representing either lawyers or chiropractors is a practice despised by both professions. Written solicitation has been against the law for years and HB 148 made phone or in person solicitation a crime to protect Texas citizens and prevent fraud. We would hope that judges considering an appeal of this decision would agree with us and uphold this law.

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