# IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Misc. Docket No. 04-9041

## AMENDMENT TO RULE 194.2, TEXAS RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE

#### **ORDERED** that:

- 1. As required by Act of June 2, 2003, 78th Leg., R.S., ch. 204, § 4.12, 2003 Tex. Gen. Laws 847, 859, Rule 194.2, Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, is amended as follows, effective in cases filed on or after July 1, 2003, in which a request for disclosure under Rule 194.1 is made on or after May 1, 2004.
  - 2. The Clerk is directed to:
    - a. file a copy of this Order with the Secretary of State;
  - b. cause a copy of this Order to be mailed to each registered member of the State Bar of Texas by publication in the *Texas Bar Journal*;
    - c. send a copy of this Order to each member of the Legislature; and
    - d. submit a copy of the Order for publication in the Texas Register.
- 3. These amendments may be changed in response to comments received before May 1, 2004. Any interested party may submit comments in writing as follows:

by mail to:

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# AMENDMENTS TO RULE 194.2, TEXAS RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE

Rule 194.2(k) is amended, and Rule 194.2(l) is added, as follows:

# Rule 194. Requests for Disclosure

194.2 Content

A party may request disclosure of any or all of the following:

- (k) in a suit alleging physical or mental injury and damages from the occurrence that is the subject of the case, all medical records and bills obtained by the responding party by virtue of an authorization furnished by the requesting party;
- (l) the name, address, and telephone number of any person who may be designated as a responsible third party.

## **Notes and Comments**

2004 Amendment. Rule 194.2(l) is added as required by changes in chapter 33 of the Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code. The amendment applies in all cases filed on or after July 1, 2003, in which a request under Rule 194.1 is made after May 1, 2004.