

## **BILL ANALYSIS**

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H.B. 32  
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### **DIGEST**

Currently, the deadline of summer visitation date notification for children of divorced parents is May 1. However, many organized summer activities require notification of planned attendance prior to May 1. H.B. 32 moves the deadlines for notification of summer and weekend visitation dates by the possessory and managing conservator of a child.

### **PURPOSE**

As proposed, H.B. 32 changes dates regarding written notice between the managing and possessory conservator of a child as relates to standard possession orders.

### **RULEMAKING AUTHORITY**

This bill does not grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

### **SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS**

SECTION 1. Amends Section 153.312(b), Family Code, to change dates regarding written notice between the managing conservator and the possessory conservator of a child for holidays, vacations, weekends, and Wednesdays.

SECTION 2. Amends Section 153.313, Family Code, to change dates regarding written notice between the managing conservator and the possessory conservator of child, in the case of the possessory conservator residing over 100 miles from the child's residence.

SECTION 3. Effective date: September 1, 1999.  
Makes application of this Act retroactive.

SECTION 4. Emergency clause.