

LEGISLATIVE BILL 3

Approved by the Governor February 9, 1983

Introduced by Lamb, 43

AN ACT to amend section 84-712.04, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, relating to public records; to correct an internal reference; to clarify certain language; and to repeal the original section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. That section 84-712.04, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, be amended to read as follows:

84-712.04. (1) Any person denied any rights granted by sections 84-712 to 84-712.03 shall receive in written form from the public body which denied the request for records at least the following information:

(a) A description of the contents of the records withheld and a statement of the specific reasons for the denial, ~~correlated to specific reasons for the denial;~~ ~~correlated to correlating~~ specific portions of the records to specific reasons for the denial, including citations to the particular statute and subsection thereof expressly providing the exception under section 84-712.01 relied on as authority for the denial;

(b) The name of the public official or employee responsible for the decision to deny the request; and

(c) Notification to the requester of any administrative or judicial right of review under section ~~84-712-08~~ 84-712.03.

(2) Each public body shall maintain a file of all letters of denial of requests for records. This file shall be made available to any person on request.

Sec. 2. That original section 84-712.04, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, is repealed.