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By Committee on Financial Institutions, Housing & Consumer Protection

- On page 2, line 16, after "address" strike "The drawer is
- 2 conclusively presumed to have received the notice of dishonor on the
- 3 <u>third day from the date it is mailed.</u>"
- On page 3, line 30, after "<u>section</u>" strike "<u>may retain the</u> affidavit or may" and insert "shall"
- Renumber the sections consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly.

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EFFECT: First, the conclusive presumption that the debtor received notice of a dishonored check three days after mailing a notice is taken out, allowing a debtor to demonstrate that he or she did not receive notice.

Second, instead of allowing a collection agency to either retain an affidavit certifying notice or file the affidavit with the court, the agency is required to file the affidavit and check (or a copy thereof) with the court.