

1-1 By: Geren, Morales of Maverick, Swanson H.B. No. 2343  
 1-2 (Senate Sponsor - Whitmire)  
 1-3 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 8, 2021;  
 1-4 April 12, 2021, read first time and referred to Committee on  
 1-5 Criminal Justice; May 13, 2021, reported favorably by the  
 1-6 following vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0; May 13, 2021, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-9	X			
1-10	X			
1-11	X			
1-12	X			
1-13	X			
1-14	X			
1-15	X			

1-16 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-17 AN ACT

1-18 relating to the purchase of food and beverages by the Department of  
 1-19 Public Safety for certain persons.

1-20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-21 SECTION 1. Section 411.0132, Government Code, is amended to  
 1-22 read as follows:

1-23 Sec. 411.0132. USE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT CERTAIN PERSONS  
 1-24 [~~PEACE OFFICER TRAINING~~]. The department[~~, subject to director~~  
 1-25 ~~approval,~~] may use appropriated funds to purchase food and  
 1-26 beverages for:

1-27 (1) training functions required of peace officers of  
 1-28 the department subject to director approval; and

1-29 (2) a person who is:

1-30 (A) activated to provide services in response to  
 1-31 an emergency situation, incident, or disaster; and

1-32 (B) unable to leave or required to remain at the  
 1-33 person's assignment area due to the emergency situation, incident,  
 1-34 or disaster.

1-35 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
 1-36 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
 1-37 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
 1-38 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
 1-39 Act takes effect September 1, 2021.

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