1-1 By: Seliger S.B. No. 1191 1**-**2 1**-**3 (In the Senate - Filed March 8, 2021; March 18, 2021, read first time and referred to Committee on Education; April 19, 2021, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 8, Nays 1; 1-4 April 19, 2021, sent to printer.) 1-5 1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE 1 - 7Yea Nay Absent PNV 1-8 Taylor Lucio 1-9 1-10 1-11 Bettencourt Hall 1-12 Hughes 1-13 Menéndez X Paxton Χ 1-14 1**-**15 1**-**16 Perry Powell 1-17 Schwertner Χ 1-18 West X 1-19 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1-20 AN ACT relating to the definition of a school resource officer.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 1-21 1-22 SECTION 1. Section 1701.601, Occupations Code, is amended 1-24 to read as follows: Sec. 1701.601. DEFINITION. 1-25 In this subchapter, "school resource officer" means a peace officer who is assigned by the 1-26 1-27 1-28 officer's employing political subdivision to provide[+ $[\frac{(1)}{(1)}]$ a police presence at a public school, [+1-29 $[\frac{(2)}{1}]$ safety or drug education to students of a public 1-30 school, [+] or [(3)] other similar services. The term does not include a peace officer who provides law enforcement at a public school or public school event only for extracurricular activities. 1-31

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.

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