

1-1 By: Huffman S.B. No. 1244  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 27, 2023; March 9, 2023,  
 1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Finance;  
 1-4 March 30, 2023, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 17,  
 1-5 Nays 0; March 30, 2023, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-25 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-26 AN ACT

1-27 relating to the amount of the fee imposed on certain sexually  
 1-28 oriented businesses that is allocated to the sexual assault program  
 1-29 fund and the allocation of certain other revenue to that fund;  
 1-30 authorizing an increase in the amount of a fee.

1-31 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-32 SECTION 1. Section 102.052(a), Business & Commerce Code, is  
 1-33 amended to read as follows:

1-34 (a) A fee is imposed on a sexually oriented business [~~in an~~  
 1-35 ~~amount equal to \$5~~] for each entry by each customer admitted to the  
 1-36 business. The amount of the fee is \$5 or a greater amount set by the  
 1-37 legislature in the General Appropriations Act.

1-38 SECTION 2. Section 420.008(b), Government Code, is amended  
 1-39 to read as follows:

1-40 (b) The fund consists of:

1-41 (1) fees and fines collected under:

1-42 (A) Article 42A.653(a), Code of Criminal  
 1-43 Procedure;

1-44 (B) Section 508.189, Government Code; and

1-45 (C) Subchapter B, Chapter 102, Business &  
 1-46 Commerce Code, and deposited under Section 102.054 of that code;  
 1-47 [~~and~~]

1-48 (2) administrative penalties collected under Section  
 1-49 51.258, Education Code; and

1-50 (3) amounts allocated under Section 183.054, Tax Code.

1-51 SECTION 3. Section 183.023(b), Tax Code, is amended to read  
 1-52 as follows:

1-53 (b) Except for the amounts allocated under Subsection (c) of  
 1-54 this section or Subchapter C of this chapter, the comptroller shall  
 1-55 deposit the revenue received under this section in the general  
 1-56 revenue fund.

1-57 SECTION 4. Subchapter C, Chapter 183, Tax Code, is amended  
 1-58 by adding Section 183.054 to read as follows:

1-59 Sec. 183.054. ALLOCATION OF CERTAIN REVENUE TO SEXUAL  
 1-60 ASSAULT PROGRAM FUND. The comptroller shall deposit an amount of  
 1-61 money equal to one percent of the revenue received under

2-1 Subchapters B and B-1 to the credit of the sexual assault program  
2-2 fund established under Section 420.008, Government Code.  
2-3 SECTION 5. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.

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