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S.B. No. 1674

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to authority for certain state employees to work at places  
3 other than the employees' regular or temporarily assigned places of  
4 employment and to earn compensatory time for that work.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

6 SECTION 1. Section 658.010, Government Code, is amended to  
7 read as follows:

8 Sec. 658.010. PLACE WHERE WORK PERFORMED. (a) An employee  
9 of a state agency shall, during normal office hours, conduct agency  
10 business only at the employee's regular or assigned temporary place  
11 of employment unless the employee:

12 (1) is travelling; or

13 (2) receives [~~received prior written~~] authorization  
14 from the administrative head of the employing state agency to  
15 perform work elsewhere.

16 (b) The employee's personal residence may not be considered  
17 the employee's regular or assigned temporary place of employment  
18 without [~~prior written~~] authorization from the administrative head  
19 of the employing state agency.

20 SECTION 2. Section 659.018, Government Code, is repealed.

21 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.