Amend CSSB 1017 between SECTIONS 1 and 2 of the bill (House committee printing, page 1, between lines 12 and 13), by adding the following SECTION to the bill and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION 2. Chapter 89, Local Government Code, is amended by adding Section 89.0045 to read as follows:

Sec. 89.0045. LIABILITY OF COUNTY EMPLOYEES. A county employee may be sued in an action arising from an intentional act committed by the employee that is incident to or within the scope of the duties of the employee's position of employment, and is strictly liable for damages that result from the intentional act.