## **BILL ANALYSIS**

Senate Research Center S.B. 988

By: Armbrister Veteran Affairs & Military Installations 8/4/2003 Enrolled

## **DIGEST AND PURPOSE**

During the regular session of the 77th Texas Legislature, the Business & Commerce Code was amended to define eligible organizations to promote and conduct sweepstakes programs. Currently a nonprofit association of airmen is excluded. S.B. 988 exempts a nonprofit association of airmen from Chapter 43 (Sweepstakes), Business & Commerce Code.

## **RULEMAKING AUTHORITY**

This bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

## **SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS**

SECTION 1. Amends Section 43.003(e), Business & Commerce Code, to exempt a nonprofit association of airmen, subject to Title 49 of the United States Code, from Chapter 43 (Sweepstakes), Business & Commerce Code.

SECTION 2. Effective date: upon passage or September 1, 2003.