By: Solis H.B. No. 1382

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 1382:

By: Driver C.S.H.B. No. 1382

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the powers of a commissioned law enforcement officer of

3 the National Park Service.

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

5 SECTION 1. Article 2.122(d), Code of Criminal Procedure, is

6 amended to read as follows:

- 7 (d) A commissioned law enforcement officer of the National
- 8 Park Service is not a peace officer under the laws of this state,
- 9 except that the officer has the powers of arrest, search, and
- 10 seizure as to any offense under the laws of this state committed
- 11 within <u>any unit</u> [the boundaries] of the [a] national park system [a]
- 12 national recreation area. In this subsection, "national park or
- 13 national recreation area" means a national park or national
- 14 recreation area included in the National Park System] as defined by
- 15 16 U.S.C. Section 1c(a).
- SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.