

AN ACT

relating to the approval of expenditures for state militia.

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

SECTION 1. Section 431.013, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 431.013. EXPENDITURES. The comptroller may not issue a warrant on or initiate an electronic funds transfer from the state treasury for an expenditure under this chapter unless the expenditure is approved by the adjutant general or the adjutant general's designee [~~and the governor or their designees~~] before payment.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1522 was passed by the House on April 10, 2003, by the following vote: Yeas 143, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting.

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Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1522 was passed by the Senate on May 1, 2003, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

Date

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Governor