

1-1 By: Zaffirini S.B. No. 411
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 7, 2003; February 17, 2003,
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Intergovernmental
1-4 Relations; May 8, 2003, reported adversely, with favorable
1-5 Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 4, Nays 0;
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1-7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 411 By: Gallegos

1-8 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-9 AN ACT

1-10 relating to the salaries and longevity pay of sheriff department
1-11 personnel in certain counties.

1-12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-13 SECTION 1. Subsection (a), Section 152.071, Local
1-14 Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

1-15 (a)(1) In a county with a population of more than 75,000,
1-16 the county government shall classify all positions in its sheriff's
1-17 department and shall specify the duties and prescribe the salary
1-18 for each classification.

1-19 (2) A county government in a county that has a
1-20 population of more than 7,500, is located on an international
1-21 boundary, and contains no incorporated territory of a municipality
1-22 may classify all positions in its sheriff's department and shall
1-23 specify the duties and prescribe the salary for each
1-24 classification.

1-25 SECTION 2. Subsection (a), Section 152.072, Local
1-26 Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

1-27 (a)(1) The qualified voters of a county with a population of
1-28 more than 25,000 may petition the commissioners court of the county
1-29 to increase the minimum salary of each member of the sheriff's
1-30 department.

1-31 (2) A county government in a county that has a
1-32 population of more than 7,500, is located on an international
1-33 boundary, and contains no incorporated territory of a municipality
1-34 may petition the commissioners court of the county to increase the
1-35 minimum salary of each member of the sheriff's department.

1-36 SECTION 3. Subsection (a), Section 152.074, Local
1-37 Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

1-38 (a)(1) In a county with a population of 150,000 or more, the
1-39 commissioners court of a county shall provide longevity pay for
1-40 each commissioned deputy of the sheriff's department of not less
1-41 than \$5 a month for each year of service in the department, up to and
1-42 including 25 years. Each commissioned deputy is entitled to the
1-43 longevity pay in addition to the deputy's regular compensation.

1-44 (2) A county government in a county that has a
1-45 population of more than 7,500, is located on an international
1-46 boundary, and contains no incorporated territory of a municipality
1-47 may provide longevity pay for each commissioned deputy of the
1-48 sheriff's department of not less than \$5 a month for each year of
1-49 service in the department, up to and including 25 years. Each
1-50 commissioned deputy is entitled to the longevity pay in addition
1-51 the deputy's regular compensation.

1-52 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

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