

1-1 By: Hegar (Senate Sponsor - Zaffirini) H.B. No. 2619  
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 18, 2005;  
1-3 April 19, 2005, read first time and referred to Committee on  
1-4 Intergovernmental Relations; May 19, 2005, reported favorably by  
1-5 the following vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; May 19, 2005, sent to  
1-6 printer.)

1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-8 AN ACT

1-9 relating to a program by the Office of Rural Community Affairs to  
1-10 assist rural areas with the establishment of emergency services  
1-11 districts.

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

1-13 SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 487, Government Code, is  
1-14 amended by adding Section 487.060 to read as follows:

1-15 Sec. 487.060. EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT PROGRAM. The  
1-16 office shall establish a program to provide interested rural  
1-17 communities with:

1-18 (1) general information about emergency services  
1-19 districts;

1-20 (2) information and training related to the  
1-21 establishment of an emergency services district; and

1-22 (3) technical assistance related to the  
1-23 implementation of an emergency services district.

1-24 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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