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H.B. No. 3063

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

## AN ACT

2 relating to the eligibility of certain counties to adopt a civil 3 service system.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 158.002, Local Government Code, is 6 amended to read as follows:

7 Sec. 158.002. ELIGIBLE COUNTIES. A county with a 8 population of <u>190,000</u> [<del>200,000</del>] or more may, in accordance with 9 this subchapter, create a county civil service system to include 10 all the employees of the county who are not exempted from the system 11 by the express terms or judicial interpretations of this subchapter 12 or by the operation of Subchapter B.

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, 2005.

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