

1-1 By: Gallegos S.B. No. 716  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 24, 2005; March 2, 2005,  
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Intergovernmental  
1-4 Relations; March 17, 2005, reported favorably by the following  
1-5 vote: Yeas 4, Nays 1; March 17, 2005, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to payroll deductions for certain employees who are peace  
1-9 officers.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 141.008, Local Government Code, is  
1-12 amended by adding Subsection (a-2) to read as follows:

1-13 (a-2) The governing body shall make the payroll deduction  
1-14 described by Subsection (a) if requested in writing by employees  
1-15 who are peace officers as defined by Article 2.12, Code of Criminal  
1-16 Procedure, and if the municipality permits deductions for purposes  
1-17 other than charity, health insurance, taxes, or other purposes for  
1-18 which the municipality is required by law to permit a deduction.

1-19 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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