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S.B. No. 1683

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the punishment for the offense of burglary of  
3 coin-operated or coin collection machines.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 30.03(c), Penal Code, is amended to read  
6 as follows:

7 (c) An offense under this section is a Class A misdemeanor,  
8 except that the offense is a state jail felony if the actor has  
9 previously been convicted of an offense under this section.

10 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only  
11 to an offense committed on or after the effective date of this Act.  
12 An offense committed before the effective date of this Act is  
13 covered by the law in effect when the offense was committed, and the  
14 former law is continued in effect for that purpose. For purposes of  
15 this section, an offense is committed before the effective date of  
16 this Act if any element of the offense occurs before the effective  
17 date.

18 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.