

Amend **CSSB 1951** (Senate committee printing) as follows:

(1) In SECTION 2(a) of the bill (page 1, line 22), strike "Effective January 1, 2009,".

(2) In SECTION 2(c) of the bill (page 1, line 37), strike "Effective January 1, 2009,".

(3) In SECTION 2 of the bill (page 1, lines 43-44), strike Subsection (d) and reletter the subsequent Subsections accordingly.

(4) In SECTION 2(f) of the bill (page 1, line 51), strike "January 1, 2009" and substitute "on the effective date of this section".

(5) In SECTION 3(a) of the bill (page 1, line 52), strike "Effective January 1, 2009,".

(6) In SECTION 3 of the bill (page 1, lines 57-58), strike Subsection (b) and reletter the subsequent Subsections accordingly.

(7) In SECTION 3(d) of the bill (page 2, line 2), strike "January 1, 2009" and substitute "on the effective date of this section".

(8) Add new SECTIONS appropriately numbered to read as follows and renumber the subsequent SECTIONS accordingly:

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_. (a) Subchapter C, Chapter 24, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 24.592 to read as follows:

Sec. 24.592. 448TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT (EL PASO COUNTY). The 448th Judicial District is composed of El Paso County.

(b) The 448th Judicial District is created on the effective date of this section.

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_. (a) Subchapter C, Chapter 24, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 24.593 to read as follows:

Sec. 24.593. 449TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT (HIDALGO COUNTY). (a) The 449th Judicial District is composed of Hidalgo County.

(b) The 449th District Court shall give preference to juvenile matters.

(b) The 449th Judicial District is created on the effective date of this section.

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_. (a) Subchapter E, Chapter 24, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 24.908 to read as follows:

Sec. 24.908. EL PASO COUNTY CRIMINAL JUDICIAL DISTRICT NO.

1. (a) The El Paso County Criminal Judicial District No. 1 is composed of El Paso County.

(b) The El Paso County Criminal District Court No. 1 shall give primary preference to felony drug cases and associated civil cases emanating from those felony drug cases. The criminal district court shall give secondary preference to other criminal cases and associated civil cases emanating from those criminal cases.

(c) The terms of the El Paso County Criminal District Court No. 1 begin on the third Mondays in April and September and the first Mondays in January, July, and November.

(d) The El Paso County Criminal District Court No. 1 shall have a seal similar to the seal of a district court with "El Paso County Criminal District Court No. 1" engraved on the seal.

(b) The El Paso County Criminal Judicial District No. 1 is created on the effective date of this section.