

BILL ANALYSIS

H.B. 1554
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Judiciary
Committee Report (Unamended)

BACKGROUND AND PURPOSE

El Paso continues to be a fast growing area of Texas, and the caseload of the district courts are growing proportionately. The purpose of the bill is to create a new district court in El Paso County.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

It is the committee's opinion that this bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, department, agency, or institution.

ANALYSIS

The bill would add a new section to the Government Code creating the 448th Judicial District in El Paso County.

EFFECTIVE DATE

September 1, 2007.