

By: Flynn

H.B. No. 4139

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the creation of a county court at law in Van Zandt County.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 25, Government Code, is amended by adding Sections 25.2361 and 25.2362 to read as follows:

Sec. 25.2361. VAN ZANDT COUNTY. Van Zandt County has one statutory county court, the County Court at Law of Van Zandt County.

Sec. 25.2362. VAN ZANDT COUNTY COURT AT LAW PROVISIONS. In addition to the jurisdiction provided by Section 25.0003, a county court at law in Van Zandt County has, concurrent with the district court, the jurisdiction provided by the constitution and general law for district courts, except that the county court at law does not have jurisdiction in capital felony cases.

SECTION 2. The County Court at Law of Van Zandt County is created January 1, 2011.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect January 1, 2011.