

1-1 By: Corte, Leibowitz (Senate Sponsor - Wentworth) H.B. No. 1013
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 27, 2009;
1-3 April 27, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Intergovernmental Relations; May 23, 2009, reported adversely,
1-5 with favorable Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 5,
1-6 Nays 0; May 23, 2009, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR H.B. No. 1013 By: Nichols

1-8 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-9 AN ACT

1-10 relating to the authority of certain counties to regulate the
1-11 installation and use of lighting in certain areas.

1-12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-13 SECTION 1. Section 240.032(b-1), Local Government Code, is
1-14 amended to read as follows:

1-15 (b-1) This subsection applies only to a county with a
1-16 population of more than one million that has at least five United
1-17 States military bases and to any county adjacent to that county that
1-18 is within five miles of a United States Army installation, base, or
1-19 camp. On the request of a United States military installation,
1-20 base, or camp commanding officer, the commissioners court of a
1-21 county subject to this subsection~~[, any part of which is located~~
1-22 ~~immediately adjacent to the installation, base, or camp,~~] may adopt
1-23 orders regulating the installation and use of outdoor lighting
1-24 within five miles of the installation, base, or camp in any
1-25 unincorporated territory of the county.

1-26 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-27 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-28 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-29 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-30 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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