

1-1 By: Elkins (Senate Sponsor - Hegar) H.B. No. 2068
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 23, 2009;
1-3 May 1, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal
1-4 Justice; May 14, 2009, reported favorably by the following vote:
1-5 Yeas 7, Nays 0; May 14, 2009, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to an identification card for certain retired peace
1-9 officers.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 1701.357(i), Occupations Code, is
1-12 amended to read as follows:

1-13 (i) On request of an honorably ~~[a]~~ retired officer who holds
1-14 a certificate of proficiency under this section, the head of the
1-15 ~~[a]~~ state or local law enforcement agency from which the officer
1-16 retired shall ~~[may]~~ issue to the retired officer identification
1-17 that indicates that the officer honorably retired from the
1-18 agency. An identification under this subsection must include a
1-19 photograph of the retired officer.

1-20 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-21 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-22 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-23 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-24 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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