By: Hodge H.B. No. 3438

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to authorizing the Texas Board of Criminal Justice to
- 3 convey certain real property to the City of Dallas in exchange for
- 4 comparable property.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 6 SECTION 1. (a) The Texas Board of Criminal Justice may
- 7 convey the real property described by Section 2 of this Act to the
- 8 City of Dallas if the City of Dallas conveys real property to the
- 9 Texas Board of Criminal Justice:
- 10 (1) that is not more than 20 miles from the property
- 11 line of the real property described by Section 2 of this Act; and
- 12 (2) on which there is a facility the Texas Board of
- 13 Criminal Justice determines is comparable to the Dawson State Jail
- 14 Facility located on the property described by Section 2 of this Act.
- 15 (b) The General Land Office shall negotiate and close a
- 16 transaction under this section on behalf of the Texas Board of
- 17 Criminal Justice.
- 18 (c) Section 272.001, Local Government Code, and Section
- 19 31.158, Natural Resources Code, do not apply to a transaction under
- 20 this section.
- 21 SECTION 2. This Act applies to the real property described
- 22 as follows:
- 23 Being a 0.907 acre tract of land located in the John Booman Survey,
- 24 Abstract number 208, in the City of Dallas, Dallas County, Texas and

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- 1 being a part of Reunion Plaza and Addition to the City of Dallas,
- 2 according to the plot in Volume 87040, Page 6347, Plat records of
- 3 Dallas County, Texas more particularly described as follows:
- 4 COMMENCING at a found HALFF ASSOC. Iron rod, for the northwest
- 5 corner of said Reunion Plaza, and the southerly right-of-way line
- 6 of Commerce Street (175' R.O.W.):
- 7 THENCE N 76° 00'04" E along said southerly right-of-way 21.50 feet
- 8 to a set pk nail in asphalt for the POINT OF BEGINNING of the herein
- 9 described tract;
- 10 THENCE N 76° 00'04" E continue along said southerly right-of-way
- 11 125.03 feet to a set pk nail in asphalt;
- 12 THENCE S 15° 09'15" E, departing from said southerly right-of-way,
- 13 315.00 feet to a set pk nail in asphalt;
- 14 THENCE S 74° 30'46" W, 125.00 feet to a set pk nail in asphalt;
- 15 THENCE N 15° 09'15" W, 317.52 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING,
- 16 containing 0.907 Acres (39,534 square feet) of land more or less.
- 17 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 18 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 19 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 20 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 21 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.