

1-1 By: Shapleigh S.B. No. 1408
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 5, 2009; March 17, 2009, read
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Veteran Affairs and
1-4 Military Installations; March 30, 2009, reported favorably by the
1-5 following vote: Yeas 4, Nays 0; March 30, 2009, sent to printer.)

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

1-8 relating to compensation and employment benefits for members of the
1-9 Texas State Guard called to state active duty.

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

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 431.082, Government Code, is amended by
1-12 adding Subsection (d) to read as follows:

1-13 (d) A member of the Texas State Guard called to state active
1-14 duty is a temporary employee of the state while on state active
1-15 duty. The adjutant general shall pay members of the Texas State
1-16 Guard called to state active duty according to the General
1-17 Appropriations Act. If the length of state active duty exceeds 45
1-18 consecutive days, the adjutant general may pay the members of the
1-19 Texas State Guard called to state active duty up to 140 percent of
1-20 the amount authorized in the General Appropriations Act.

1-21 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-22 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-23 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-24 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-25 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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