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H.B. No. 78

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the purchase of food and beverages by certain state law enforcement agencies for peace officer training functions.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 88, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 88.1035 to read as follows:

Sec. 88.1035. USE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT PEACE OFFICER TRAINING. The Texas Forest Service, subject to director approval, may use appropriated funds to purchase food and beverages for training functions required of peace officers of the Texas Forest Service.

SECTION 2. Subchapter A, Chapter 411, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 411.0132 to read as follows:

Sec. 411.0132. USE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT PEACE OFFICER TRAINING. The department, subject to director approval, may use appropriated funds to purchase food and beverages for training functions required of peace officers of the department.

SECTION 3. Subchapter B, Chapter 11, Parks and Wildlife Code, is amended by adding Section 11.0195 to read as follows:

Sec. 11.0195. USE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT PEACE OFFICER TRAINING. The department, subject to director approval, may use appropriated funds to purchase food and beverages for training functions required of peace officers of the department.

SECTION 4. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives

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1 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
2 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
3 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
4 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.