

1-1 By: Flynn (Senate Sponsor - Williams) H.B. No. 78
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 27, 2011;
1-3 May 2, 2011, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Transportation and Homeland Security; May 19, 2011, reported
1-5 favorably by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 19, 2011,
1-6 sent to printer.)

1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-8 AN ACT

1-9 relating to the purchase of food and beverages by certain state law
1-10 enforcement agencies for peace officer training functions.

1-11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-12 SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 88, Education Code, is
1-13 amended by adding Section 88.1035 to read as follows:

1-14 Sec. 88.1035. USE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT PEACE OFFICER
1-15 TRAINING. The Texas Forest Service, subject to director approval,
1-16 may use appropriated funds to purchase food and beverages for
1-17 training functions required of peace officers of the Texas Forest
1-18 Service.

1-19 SECTION 2. Subchapter A, Chapter 411, Government Code, is
1-20 amended by adding Section 411.0132 to read as follows:

1-21 Sec. 411.0132. USE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT PEACE OFFICER
1-22 TRAINING. The department, subject to director approval, may use
1-23 appropriated funds to purchase food and beverages for training
1-24 functions required of peace officers of the department.

1-25 SECTION 3. Subchapter B, Chapter 431, Government Code, is
1-26 amended by adding Section 431.0296 to read as follows:

1-27 Sec. 431.0296. USE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT MILITARY POLICE
1-28 TRAINING. The department, subject to the adjutant general's
1-29 approval, may use appropriated funds to purchase food and beverages
1-30 for training functions required of the military police of the state
1-31 military forces.

1-32 SECTION 4. Subchapter B, Chapter 11, Parks and Wildlife
1-33 Code, is amended by adding Section 11.0195 to read as follows:

1-34 Sec. 11.0195. USE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT PEACE OFFICER
1-35 TRAINING. The department, subject to director approval, may use
1-36 appropriated funds to purchase food and beverages for training
1-37 functions required of peace officers of the department.

1-38 SECTION 5. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-39 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-40 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-41 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-42 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

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