

By: Gallego

H.B. No. 1080

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT  
2 relating to an exemption for active duty personnel and certain  
3 veterans from the requirement to complete the live firing portion  
4 of a hunter education program.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 62.014, Parks and Wildlife Code, is  
7 amended by adding Subsection (n) to read as follows:

8 (n) The following persons are exempt from any requirement to  
9 complete the live firing portion of a hunter education course under  
10 this section:

11 (1) an honorably discharged veteran of the United  
12 States armed forces; or

13 (2) a person who is on active duty as a member of the  
14 United States military forces, the Texas Army National Guard, the  
15 Texas Air National Guard, or the Texas State Guard.

16 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
17 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
18 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
19 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
20 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.