

House Bill 2560
Senate Amendments
Section-by-Section Analysis

HOUSE VERSION

SECTION 1. Section 42.042, Human Resources Code, is amended by adding Subsection (e-2) to read as follows:

(e-2) The department may not prohibit the foster parent of a child who resides in the foster family's home from transporting the child in a vehicle where a handgun is present if the handgun is in the possession and control of the foster parent and the foster parent is licensed to carry the handgun under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code.

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

SENATE VERSION (IE)

SECTION 1. Section 42.042, Human Resources Code, is amended by adding Subsection (e-2) to read as follows:

(e-2) The department may not prohibit the foster parent of a child who resides in the foster family's home from transporting the child in a vehicle where a handgun is present if the handgun is concealed on the person of the foster parent and the foster parent is licensed to carry the handgun under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code. [FA1(1)]

SECTION 2. Same as House version.

CONFERENCE