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S.B. No. 1028

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the regulation of crafted precious metal dealers;
3 providing a criminal penalty.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 1956.069(a), Occupations Code, is
6 amended to read as follows:

7 (a) A person commits an offense if the person:

8 (1) fails to make or permit inspection of a report as
9 required by Section 1956.062 or 1956.063;

10 (2) violates Section 1956.0612 or 1956.064;

11 (3) fails to obtain or retain a statement as required
12 by Section 1956.066;

13 (4) fails to file a registration statement as required
14 by Section 1956.067; ~~or~~

15 (5) purchases an object in violation of Section
16 1956.068; or

17 (6) fails to obtain a license or permit issued by a
18 municipality if the license or permit is required by a municipal
19 ordinance.

20 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only
21 to an offense committed on or after the effective date of this Act.
22 An offense committed before the effective date of this Act is
23 governed by the law in effect on the date the offense was committed,
24 and the former law is continued in effect for that purpose. For

1 purposes of this section, an offense was committed before the
2 effective date of this Act if any element of the offense occurred
3 before that date.

4 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.