H.B. No. 2290 1-1 Parker, Meyer, Frullo By: 1**-**2 1**-**3 (Senate Sponsor - Huffman) (In the Senate - Received from the House April 20, 2015; May 4, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Administration; May 21, 2015, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 21, 2015, sent to printer.) 1-4 1-5 1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE 1-7 1-8 Nay Absent **PNV** Yea 1-9 Hancock Χ 1-10 1-11 Uresti Campbell 1-12 Eltife X 1-13 Huffines Χ 1-14 Schwertner Χ 1-15 West 1-16 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1-17 AN ACT relating to designating January as Human Trafficking Prevention 1-18 1-19 Month. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 1-20 SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 662, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 662.107 to read as follows: 1-21 1-22 1-23 TRAFFICKING PREVENTION Sec. 662.107. HUMAN MONTH. January is Human Trafficking Prevention Month to increase 1-24 awareness of human trafficking in an effort to encourage people to alert authorities to any suspected incidents involving human 1-25 1-26 trafficking. 1-27 1-28 (b) Human Trafficking Prevention Month may be regularly 1-29 observed through appropriate activities in public schools and other places to increase awareness and prevention of human trafficking. 1-30

This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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