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H.B. No. 3033

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 3033:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to the disciplinary suspension of a municipal firefighter  
3 in certain municipalities.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 143.117, Local Government Code, is  
6 amended by adding Subsection (b-1) to read as follows:

7 (b-1) Not later than the 180th day after the date the  
8 department discovers or becomes aware of the civil service rule  
9 violation for which a fire fighter is suspended, notice of the  
10 suspension of the fire fighter must be:

11 (1) personally delivered to the fire fighter; or

12 (2) sent by certified mail, return receipt requested,  
13 to the last home address provided by the fire fighter.

14 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only  
15 to a suspension of a firefighter that occurs on or after the  
16 effective date of this Act.

17 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.