

1-1 By: Goldman (Senate Sponsor - Taylor of Collin) H.B. No. 2027
 1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 24, 2017;
 1-3 May 1, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on Business
 1-4 & Commerce; May 10, 2017, reported favorably by the following vote:
 1-5 Yeas 7, Nays 0; May 10, 2017, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-7 Hancock	X			
1-8 Creighton	X			
1-9 Campbell	X			
1-10 Estes	X			
1-11 Nichols	X			
1-12 Schwertner			X	
1-13 Taylor of Galveston			X	
1-14 Whitmire	X			
1-15 Zaffirini	X			

1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to the repeal of certain laws regulating the sale or
 1-20 transfer of secondhand watches.

1-21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 17, Business & Commerce
 1-23 Code, is repealed.

1-24 SECTION 2. An offense under Section 17.22, Business &
 1-25 Commerce Code, may not be prosecuted after the effective date of
 1-26 this Act. If on the effective date of this Act a criminal action is
 1-27 pending for an offense under Section 17.22, Business & Commerce
 1-28 Code, the action is dismissed on that date. However, a final
 1-29 conviction for an offense under Section 17.22, Business & Commerce
 1-30 Code, that exists on the effective date of this Act is unaffected by
 1-31 this Act.

1-32 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
 1-33 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
 1-34 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
 1-35 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
 1-36 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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