

1-1 By: Nelson S.B. No. 854
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 13, 2017;
 1-3 February 27, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on
 1-4 Finance; March 8, 2017, reported adversely, with favorable
 1-5 Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 14, Nays 0;
 1-6 March 8, 2017, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8 Nelson	X			
1-9 Hinojosa	X			
1-10 Bettencourt	X			
1-11 Birdwell	X			
1-12 Hancock	X			
1-13 Huffman	X			
1-14 Kolkhorst	X			
1-15 Nichols	X			
1-16 Schwertner	X			
1-17 Seliger	X			
1-18 Taylor of Galveston	X			
1-19 Uresti	X			
1-20 Watson	X			
1-21 West	X			
1-22 Whitmire			X	

1-24 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 854 By: Nelson

1-25 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-26 AN ACT

1-27 relating to the purchase of food and beverages by the Texas Division
 1-28 of Emergency Management for certain persons.

1-29 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-30 SECTION 1. Section 418.052, Government Code, is amended to
 1-31 read as follows:

1-32 Sec. 418.052. USE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT CERTAIN PERSONS
 1-33 [~~DIVISION PERSONNEL~~]. The division may use appropriated funds to
 1-34 purchase food and beverages for a person [~~division personnel~~] who
 1-35 is [~~are~~]:

1-36 (1) activated to provide services in response to an
 1-37 emergency situation, an incident, or a disaster; and

1-38 (2) unable to leave or required to remain at the
 1-39 person's [~~their~~] assignment area [~~areas~~] due to the emergency
 1-40 situation, incident, or disaster.

1-41 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
 1-42 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
 1-43 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
 1-44 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
 1-45 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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