By:  Cyrier, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Taylor) H.B. No. 3084

(In the Senate - Received from the House April 29, 2019; April 30, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Administration; May 19, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; May 19, 2019, sent to printer.)

COMMITTEE VOTE

               Yea Nay Absent  PNV

Hughes          X

Fallon          X

Huffman                   X

Johnson         X

Menéndez        X

Nichols                   X

Zaffirini       X

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to designating July 20 as Space Exploration Day.

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

SECTION 1.  Subchapter C, Chapter 662, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 662.071 to read as follows:

Sec. 662.071.  SPACE EXPLORATION DAY. (a) July 20 is Space Exploration Day in honor of the heroes of Apollo 11 and those who continue to pursue innovation and exploration.

(b)  Space Exploration Day may be regularly observed by appropriate ceremonies and activities.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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