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H.B. No. 2356

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the inclusion of overtime pay in the computation of
3 benefits for certain members of the Employees Retirement System of
4 Texas.

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

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter A, Chapter 811, Government Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 811.0012 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 811.0012. COMPENSATION FOR CERTAIN LAW ENFORCEMENT
9 OFFICERS. Notwithstanding Section 811.001(7), "compensation" for
10 a law enforcement officer commissioned by the Department of Public
11 Safety or a game warden or special game warden commissioned by the
12 Parks and Wildlife Department includes overtime pay that is earned
13 while providing law enforcement services in a county along the
14 Texas-Mexico border.

15 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only
16 to a member of the Employees Retirement System of Texas who retires
17 on or after the effective date of this Act. A member who retires
18 before the effective date of this Act is subject to the law in
19 effect on the date of the member's retirement, and that law is
20 continued in effect for that purpose.

21 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.