

Amend CSHB 1927 (house committee printing) by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION _____. Sections 62.082(d) and (e), Parks and Wildlife Code, are amended to read as follows:

(d) Section 62.081 does not apply to:

(1) an employee of the Lower Colorado River Authority;

(2) a person authorized to hunt under Subsection (c);

(3) a peace officer as defined by Article 2.12, Code of Criminal Procedure; or

(4) a person who:

(A) is carrying ~~[possesses]~~ a handgun ~~[and a license issued under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code, to carry a handgun]~~; or

(B) under circumstances in which the person would be justified in the use of deadly force under Chapter 9, Penal Code, shoots a handgun ~~[the person is licensed to carry under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code]~~.

(e) A state agency, including the department, the Department of Public Safety, and the Lower Colorado River Authority, may not adopt a rule that prohibits a person who is not otherwise prohibited by state or federal law from possessing a firearm ~~[possesses a license issued under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code]~~ from entering or crossing the land of the Lower Colorado River Authority while:

(1) carrying ~~[possessing]~~ a handgun; or

(2) under circumstances in which the person would be justified in the use of deadly force under Chapter 9, Penal Code, shooting a handgun.