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H.B. No. 315

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the purchasing of a uniform by certain honorably retired peace officers.

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

SECTION 1. The heading to Subchapter D, Chapter 614, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

SUBCHAPTER D. PURCHASE OF FIREARM OR UNIFORM OF HONORABLY RETIRED OR DECEASED PEACE OFFICER

SECTION 2. Subchapter D, Chapter 614, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 614.055 to read as follows:

Sec. 614.055. PURCHASE OF UNIFORM BY HONORABLY RETIRED STATE PEACE OFFICERS. (a) An individual may purchase a uniform from a state agency if:

(1) the individual was a peace officer commissioned by the agency;

(2) the individual was honorably retired from the individual's commission by the agency; and

(3) the uniform had been previously issued to the individual by the agency.

(b) A state agency shall establish the amount, which may not exceed fair market value, for which a uniform may be purchased under this section.

(c) An individual who purchases a uniform under this section may be buried in the uniform.

1 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.