

1-1 By: Miles S.B. No. 500  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed January 28, 2021; March 9, 2021, read  
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Health & Human Services;  
1-4 April 26, 2021, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 9,  
1-5 Nays 0; April 26, 2021, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to creating the criminal offense of operating a boarding  
1-20 home facility without a permit in certain counties and  
1-21 municipalities.

1-22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-23 SECTION 1. Chapter 260, Health and Safety Code, is amended  
1-24 by adding Section 260.0051 to read as follows:

1-25 Sec. 260.0051. CRIMINAL PENALTY. (a) This section applies  
1-26 only to a county or municipality that requires a person to obtain a  
1-27 permit to operate a boarding home facility as authorized by Section  
1-28 260.004.

1-29 (b) A person commits an offense if the person operates a  
1-30 boarding home facility without a permit in a county or municipality  
1-31 to which this section applies.

1-32 (c) An offense under this section is a Class B misdemeanor.

1-33 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.

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