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By:  Huffman S.B. No. 373

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to creation of an additional county court at law in Waller County and the redesignation of the County Court at Law of Waller County as County Court at Law No. 1 of Waller County.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 25.2391, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 25.2391.  WALLER COUNTY. (a) Waller County has the following [~~one~~] statutory county courts:

(1)  [~~court, the~~] County Court at Law No. 1 of Waller County; and

(2)  County Court at Law No. 2 of Waller County.

(b)  The county courts at law [~~County Court at Law~~] of Waller County sit [~~sits~~] in Hempstead.

SECTION 2.  (a) On the effective date of this Act, the County Court at Law of Waller County is redesignated County Court at Law No. 1 of Waller County.

(b)  The judge of the County Court at Law of Waller County is the judge of County Court at Law No. 1 of Waller County.

(c)  This Act does not affect the term of office of a judge of a court redesignated by this Act. The judge, unless otherwise removed as provided by law, continues to serve for the term for which the judge was elected.

SECTION 3.  The County Court at Law No. 2 of Waller County is created on the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 4.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.