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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

- 2 relating to an exception from requirements to assist or cooperate
- 3 with federal immigration officers for matters regarding activities
- 4 that occur at a domestic violence shelter.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 6 SECTION 1. Section 752.053(c), Government Code, is amended
- 7 to read as follows:

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- 8 (c) Notwithstanding Subsection (b)(3), a local entity or
- 9 campus police department may prohibit persons who are employed by
- 10 or otherwise under the direction or control of the entity or
- 11 department from assisting or cooperating with a federal immigration
- 12 officer <u>in matters regarding activities that occur:</u>
- 13 <u>(1)</u> [if the assistance or cooperation occurs] at a
- 14 place of worship; or
- 15 (2) at a domestic violence shelter.
- SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 17 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 18 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 19 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 20 Act takes effect September 1, 2023.