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H.B. No. 4916

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the jurisdiction of the 205th Judicial District and the
3 394th Judicial District.

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

5 SECTION 1. Sec. 24.539. 394TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT (BREWSTER,
6 CULBERSON, [~~HUDSPETH,~~] JEFF DAVIS, AND PRESIDIO COUNTIES). (a)
7 The 394th Judicial District is composed of Brewster, Culberson,
8 [~~Hudspeth,~~] Jeff Davis, and Presidio counties.

9 (b) The terms of the 394th District Court begin:

10 (1) in Brewster County on the first Monday in March and
11 the third Monday in September;

12 (2) in Culberson County on the third Monday in October
13 and the first Monday in April;

14 (3) [~~in Hudspeth County on the third Monday in March~~
15 ~~and the first Monday in September~~];

16 (4) in Jeff Davis County on the second Mondays in
17 January and July; and

18 (5) in Presidio County on the third Monday after the
19 first Mondays in January and July.

20 SECTION 2. Sec. 24.384. 205TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
21 (~~[CULBERSON,~~] EL PASO, AND HUDSPETH COUNTIES). (a) The 205th
22 Judicial District is composed of [~~Culberson,~~] El Paso, and Hudspeth
23 counties.

24 (b) The 205th District Court shall give preference to

1 criminal cases.

2 (c) Section 24.136, relating to the 34th District Court,
3 contains provisions applicable to both that court and the 205th
4 District Court.

5 SECTION 3. This act takes effect September 1, 2023.