

By: Middleton

S.B. No. 2028

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the creation of additional judicial districts composed of Brazoria County.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 24, Government Code, is amended by adding Sections 24.60035 and 24.60036 to read as follows:

Sec. 24.60035. 490TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT (BRAZORIA COUNTY).

The 490th Judicial District is composed of Brazoria County.

Sec. 24.60036. 491ST JUDICIAL DISTRICT (BRAZORIA COUNTY).

The 491st Judicial District is composed of Brazoria County.

SECTION 2. The 490th and 491st Judicial Districts are created the earliest of:

(1) the effective date of this Act, if the commissioner's court of Brazoria County submits on or before that date a resolution to the Office of Court Administration of the Texas Judicial System stating that the Brazoria County Courthouse has sufficient office space to house both the 490th and 491st Judicial Districts;

(2) the date the commissioner's court of Brazoria County submits a resolution to the Office of Court Administration of the Texas Judicial System stating that the Brazoria County Courthouse has sufficient office space to house both the 490th and 491st judicial districts, if the commissioner's court submits the

1 resolution after the effective date of this Act; or

2 (3) October 1, 2025.

3 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.