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S.B. No. 2282

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to granting limited state law enforcement authority to  
National Aeronautics and Space Administration security personnel.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2.122, Code of Criminal Procedure, is  
amended by adding Subsection (h) to read as follows:

(h) National Aeronautics and Space Administration security  
personnel, including contractor security personnel who have  
completed the training required by the administration to serve in  
that capacity, are not peace officers under the laws of this state,  
but have the powers of arrest, search, and seizure, including the  
powers under Section 9.51, Penal Code, while in the performance of  
the personnel's duties:

(1) on property owned, leased, or controlled by the  
administration; or

(2) under an agreement entered into with local law  
enforcement regarding an area surrounding property owned, leased,  
or controlled by the administration.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.