

1-1 By: Landgraf, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Zaffirini) H.B. No. 1629  
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 15, 2025;  
1-3 May 19, 2025, read first time and referred to Committee on Local  
1-4 Government; May 22, 2025, reported favorably by the following  
1-5 vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 22, 2025, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-7	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Bettencourt	X		
1-9	Middleton	X		
1-10	Cook	X		
1-11	Gutierrez	X		
1-12	Nichols	X		
1-13	Paxton		X	
1-14	West	X		

1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-16 AN ACT

1-17 relating to fireworks sales to the public by retail fireworks  
1-18 permit holders in certain counties.

1-19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-20 SECTION 1. Section 2154.202(g), Occupations Code, is  
1-21 amended to read as follows:

1-22 (g) Except as provided by Subsection (h), a retail fireworks  
1-23 permit holder may sell fireworks only to the public, and only during  
1-24 periods:

1-25 (1) beginning June 24 and ending at midnight on July 4;

1-26 (2) beginning December 20 and ending at midnight on  
1-27 January 1 of the following year; and

1-28 (3) beginning May 1 and ending at midnight on May 5 if  
1-29 the fireworks are sold at a location that is not more than 150 [100]  
1-30 miles from the Texas-Mexico border and that is in a county in which  
1-31 the commissioners court of the county has approved the sale of  
1-32 fireworks during the period.

1-33 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
1-34 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
1-35 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
1-36 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
1-37 Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

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