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S.B. No. 1465

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to personal flotation device requirements for certain
3 recreational vessels.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 31.066, Parks and Wildlife Code, is
6 amended by adding Subsection (c-1) to read as follows:

7 (c-1) Each person on board a recreational vessel 16 feet or
8 more in length must wear a wearable personal flotation device of the
9 sort prescribed by the commandant of the Coast Guard while the
10 vessel is under way.

11 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.