

1-1 By: Guillen (Senate Sponsor - Zaffirini) H.B. No. 1190
 1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 4, 2015;
 1-3 May 6, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on State
 1-4 Affairs; May 21, 2015, reported favorably by the following vote:
 1-5 Yeas 7, Nays 0; May 21, 2015, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to the compensation of property owners whose property is
 1-20 damaged as a result of a pursuit involving a federal law enforcement
 1-21 agency.

1-22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-23 SECTION 1. Section 683.015(f), Transportation Code, is
 1-24 amended to read as follows:

1-25 (f) A law enforcement agency or an attorney representing the
 1-26 state may use funds transferred under Subsection (d) to compensate
 1-27 property owners whose property was damaged as a result of a pursuit
 1-28 involving a law enforcement agency or a federal law enforcement
 1-29 agency, regardless of whether the agency would be liable under
 1-30 Chapter 101, Civil Practice and Remedies Code.

1-31 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only
 1-32 to property damage occurring on or after the effective date of this
 1-33 Act. Property damage occurring before the effective date of this
 1-34 Act is governed by the law in effect at the time the damage
 1-35 occurred, and the former law is continued in effect for that
 1-36 purpose.

1-37 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
 1-38 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
 1-39 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
 1-40 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
 1-41 Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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