by: Dean (Senate Sponsor - Hughes) H.B. No. 1404 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 15, 2019; April 16, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Intergovernmental Relations; May 17, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 7, Navs 0: May 17, 2019, cont to rejute 1-2 1-3 1-4 the following vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0; May 17, 2019, sent to printer.) 1-5 1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE 1-7 Yea Absent PNV Nav 1-8 Х Lucio Х 1-9 Schwertner 1-10 1-11 Alvarado Х Campbell χ 1-12 Fallon Х Menéndez 1-13 Х Х 1-14 Nichols 1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1-16 AN ACT relating to the regulation of game rooms in certain counties. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 1-17 1-18 1-19 SECTION 1. Section 234.132, Local Government Code, is 1-20 amended to read as follows: Sec. 234.132. APPLICABILITY. 1-21 This subchapter applies only 1-22 1-23 to: a county that has a population of less than 25,000, (1)1-24 is adjacent to the Gulf of Mexico, and is within 50 miles of an 1-25 international border; 1-26 (2) a county that has a population of four million or 1-27 1-28 more; (3) a county that is adjacent to the Gulf of Mexico and 1-29 to a county that has a population of four million or more; (4) a county located on the Texas-Mexico border that has a population of less than 300,000 and contains a municipality with a population of 200,000 or more; 1-30 1-31 1-32 1-33 (5) a county that has a population of 550,000 or more 1-34 and is adjacent to a county described by Subdivision (2); 1-35 (6) a county that is located in the Permian Basin 1-36 within 25 miles of this state's border with another state of the 1-37 United States and has a population of more than 130,000; 1-38 (7) a county that is located on this state's border with Louisiana, has a population of more than 65,000, and is within 1-39 1-40 50 miles of a municipality in Louisiana with a population of more 1-41 than 150,000; 1-42 (8)a county that has a population of more than 200,000 and less than 220,000; [and] 1-43 1 - 44(9) a county that has a population of more than 1.8 1-45 million and that is adjacent to a county with a population of more 1-46 than 2.2 million; and 1-47 (10)a county that has a population of less than 40,000 and is adjacent to: 1-48 a county described by Subdivision (7); and 1-49 (A) 1-50 a county described by Subdivision (8). (B) 1-51 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019. * * * * * 1-52

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