

1-1 By: Wilson (Senate Sponsor - Hughes) H.B. No. 3863
 1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 13, 2019;
 1-3 May 13, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on State
 1-4 Affairs; May 19, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote:
 1-5 Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 19, 2019, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-8	X			
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1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to granting limited state law enforcement authority to
 1-20 certain federal officers or agents.

1-21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. Articles 2.122(a) and (b), Code of Criminal
 1-23 Procedure, are amended to read as follows:

1-24 (a) The following named criminal investigators of the
 1-25 United States shall not be deemed peace officers, but shall have the
 1-26 powers of arrest, search, and seizure under the laws of this state
 1-27 as to felony offenses only:

1-28 (1) Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of
 1-29 Investigation;

1-30 (2) Special Agents of the Secret Service;

1-31 (3) Special Agents of the United States Immigration
 1-32 and Customs Enforcement;

1-33 (4) Special Agents of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco,
 1-34 Firearms and Explosives;

1-35 (5) Special Agents of the United States Drug
 1-36 Enforcement Administration;

1-37 (6) Inspectors of the United States Postal Inspection
 1-38 Service;

1-39 (7) Special Agents of the Criminal Investigation
 1-40 Division of the Internal Revenue Service;

1-41 (8) Civilian Special Agents of the United States Naval
 1-42 Criminal Investigative Service;

1-43 (9) Marshals and Deputy Marshals of the United States
 1-44 Marshals Service;

1-45 (10) Special Agents of the United States Department of
 1-46 State, Bureau of Diplomatic Security;

1-47 (11) Special Agents of the Treasury Inspector General
 1-48 for Tax Administration;

1-49 (12) Special Agents of the Office of Inspector General
 1-50 of the United States Social Security Administration;

1-51 (13) Special Agents of the Office of Inspector General
 1-52 of the United States Department of Veterans Affairs;

1-53 (14) Special Agents of the Office of Inspector General
 1-54 of the United States Department of Agriculture; and

1-55 (15) ~~[(14)]~~ a police officer with the Office of
 1-56 Security and Law Enforcement of the United States Department of
 1-57 Veterans Affairs.

1-58 (b) An officer or agent ~~[A person]~~ designated by the
 1-59 Secretary of Homeland Security ~~[as a special policeman by the~~
 1-60 ~~Federal Protective Services division of the General Services~~
 1-61 ~~Administration]~~ under 40 U.S.C. Section 1315 for duty in connection

2-1 with the protection of property owned or occupied by the federal
2-2 government and persons on the property [~~318 or 318a~~] is not a peace
2-3 officer but has the powers of arrest and search and seizure as to
2-4 any offense under the laws of this state.

2-5 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
2-6 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
2-7 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
2-8 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
2-9 Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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