

1-1 By: Huffman S.B. No. 1754
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 6, 2019; March 14, 2019, read
 1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Justice;
 1-4 April 23, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6,
 1-5 Nays 0; April 23, 2019, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-7 Whitmire	X			
1-8 Huffman	X			
1-9 Buckingham	X			
1-10 Flores	X			
1-11 Hughes			X	
1-12 Miles	X			
1-13 Perry	X			

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

1-17 relating to the prosecution of the offense of taking or attempting
 1-18 to take a weapon from certain officers, investigators, employees,
 1-19 or officials.

1-20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-21 SECTION 1. Section 38.14(b), Penal Code, is amended to read
 1-22 as follows:

1-23 (b) A person commits an offense if the person intentionally
 1-24 or knowingly and with force takes or attempts to take from a peace
 1-25 officer, federal special investigator, employee or official of a
 1-26 correctional facility, parole officer, community supervision and
 1-27 corrections department officer, or commissioned security officer
 1-28 the officer's, investigator's, employee's, or official's firearm,
 1-29 nightstick, stun gun, or personal protection chemical dispensing
 1-30 device [~~with the intention of harming the officer, investigator,
 1-31 employee, or official or a third person~~].

1-32 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only
 1-33 to an offense committed on or after the effective date of this Act.
 1-34 An offense committed before the effective date of this Act is
 1-35 governed by the law in effect when the offense was committed, and
 1-36 the former law is continued in effect for that purpose. For
 1-37 purposes of this section, an offense was committed before the
 1-38 effective date of this Act if any element of the offense occurred
 1-39 before that date.

1-40 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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