

1-1 By: Ashby (Senate Sponsor - Nichols) H.B. No. 5178
 1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 3, 2023;
 1-3 May 5, 2023, read first time and referred to Committee on Natural
 1-4 Resources & Economic Development; May 18, 2023, reported favorably
 1-5 by the following vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0, one present not voting;
 1-6 May 18, 2023, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-9	X			
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1-18 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-19 AN ACT

1-20 relating to authorizing certain counties to impose a hotel
 1-21 occupancy tax and the applicability of that tax in certain
 1-22 counties.

1-23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-24 SECTION 1. Section 352.002, Tax Code, is amended by adding
 1-25 Subsection (ee) to read as follows:

1-26 (ee) The commissioner's court of a county that has a
 1-27 population of 80,000 or more and that contains a portion of the
 1-28 Angelina National Forest may impose a tax as provided by Subsection
 1-29 (a). A tax imposed under this subsection does not apply to a hotel
 1-30 located in a municipality that imposes a tax under Chapter 351
 1-31 applicable to the hotel.

1-32 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.

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