

Chapter 191

S.B. No. 208

AN ACT

relating to the regulation of metal recycling entities; providing an administrative penalty; creating a criminal offense.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 1956.001, Occupations Code, is amended by amending Subdivision (6-a) and adding Subdivision (6-b) to read as follows:

(6-a) "Explosive device" means a device or material that contains explosive powder, primer, fluid, or gas or a detonator. The term does not include:

(A) a device that is designed, made, or adapted for delivering or shooting ammunition of .50 caliber or less and that is purchased for personal or security reasons recognized under state or federal law;

(B) a component of a motor vehicle or mechanical equipment, including equipment that is used in the exploration or production of minerals;

(C) any type of compressed cylinder that is commonly used in a residence or commercial business; or

(D) any type of scrap metal that is routinely purchased in the metal recycling industry and that is not associated with military weaponry.

(6-b) "Lead material" means:

(A) a commercial grade lead battery, lead-acid

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1 battery, or spiral cell battery; or

2 (B) a material or an item readily identifiable as
3 being made of or containing lead.

4 SECTION 2. Section 1956.003(c), Occupations Code, is
5 amended to read as follows:

6 (c) A county, municipality, or political subdivision of
7 this state that issues a license or permit to a business as
8 authorized under Subsection (b) shall submit to the department in
9 the manner required by the department information on each business
10 that is issued a license or permit, including inspection reports
11 for the business, information regarding violations of this chapter
12 by the business, and information regarding disciplinary actions
13 initiated against the business.

14 SECTION 3. Section 1956.036, Occupations Code, is amended
15 by adding Subsection (f) to read as follows:

16 (f) A metal recycling entity shall report to the department
17 by telephone, by e-mail, or through the department's Internet
18 website the entity's possession of an explosive device unknowingly
19 purchased or otherwise obtained by the entity not later than the
20 close of business on the entity's first working day after the date
21 the possession of the device is discovered. A metal recycling
22 entity may also report to an appropriate law enforcement authority
23 or the nearest military installation the possession of an explosive
24 device that the entity unknowingly purchased or otherwise obtained
25 so that the explosive device may be removed from the entity or
26 disposed of as soon as possible.

27 SECTION 4. Section 1956.040, Occupations Code, is amended

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1 by adding Subsections (c-1), (c-2), (c-3), (c-4), (c-5), and (d-1)
2 to read as follows:

3 (c-1) A person commits an offense if the person knowingly
4 sells an explosive device to a metal recycling entity.

5 (c-2) A metal recycling entity commits an offense if the
6 entity knowingly buys an explosive device.

7 (c-3) Except as provided by Subsection (c-5), an offense
8 under Subsection (c-1) or (c-2) is a Class A misdemeanor.

9 (c-4) A metal recycling entity commits an offense if the
10 entity knowingly stores or allows to be stored on the entity's
11 premises an explosive device. Except as provided by Subsection
12 (c-5), an offense under this subsection is a Class A misdemeanor.
13 For purposes of this subsection, a metal recycling entity is
14 considered to store an explosive device on the entity's premises
15 beginning not earlier than 72 hours after the time a person presents
16 the explosive device to the entity for sale or an attempted sale and
17 ending at the time the entity reports the presence of the explosive
18 device on the entity's premises to the department. A metal
19 recycling entity is not liable under this section for the time it
20 takes for the department, a law enforcement agency, or a military
21 installation to respond to the entity's report that the entity
22 possesses an explosive device.

23 (c-5) An offense under Subsection (c-1), (c-2), or (c-4) is
24 a felony of the second degree if it is shown at the trial of the
25 offense that a person suffered death or serious bodily injury, as
26 defined by Section 1.07, Penal Code, as a result of the detonation
27 of an explosive device.

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1 (d-1) On conviction of an offense under Subsection (c-1),
2 (c-2), or (c-4), the court may order the defendant to make
3 restitution to:

4 (1) the state or a political subdivision of the state
5 for the costs incurred by the state or subdivision for responding to
6 the offense and any removal, cleaning, sanitizing, demolition,
7 reconstruction, or other treatment required as a result of the
8 offense; and

9 (2) the owner of any property damaged as a result of
10 the offense.

11 SECTION 5. Section 1956.041, Occupations Code, is amended
12 by amending Subsections (a) and (b) and adding Subsections (b-1),
13 (b-2), and (f) to read as follows:

14 (a) The commission, after notice and an opportunity for a
15 hearing, may impose an administrative penalty on a person who:

16 (1) violates this subchapter or Subchapter A-2 or a
17 rule or order of the commission under this chapter; or

18 (2) engages in conduct that would constitute an
19 offense under Section 1956.040(c-2) or (c-4) [~~Section 1956.036~~].

20 (b) Except as provided by Subsection (b-1), the [The] amount
21 of the administrative penalty may not exceed \$1,000. Each day a
22 violation occurs or continues to occur is a separate violation for
23 the purpose of imposing a penalty under this section. In
24 determining the amount of the administrative penalty under this
25 section, the commission shall consider:

26 (1) the seriousness of the violation, including the
27 nature, circumstances, extent, and gravity of the violation;

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- 1 (2) the economic harm caused by the violation;
- 2 (3) the history of previous violations;
- 3 (4) the amount necessary to deter a future violation;
- 4 (5) efforts to correct the violation; and
- 5 (6) any other matter that justice may require.

6 (b-1) The amount of an administrative penalty for engaging
 7 in conduct described by Subsection (a)(2) or for a violation of
 8 Section 1956.036(f) may not exceed \$1,000 for each violation. The
 9 aggregate penalty under this subsection for multiple violations may
 10 not exceed \$10,000.

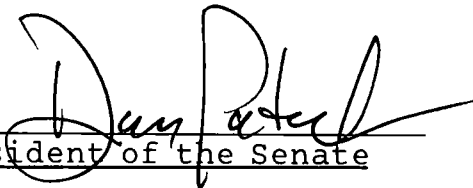
11 (b-2) The commission by rule shall adopt a standardized
 12 penalty schedule for a violation based on the criteria listed in
 13 Subsection (b).

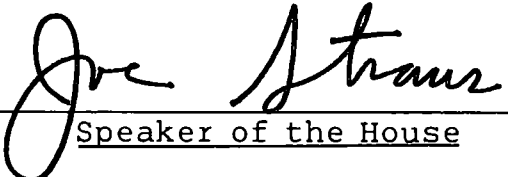
14 (f) An administrative penalty collected under this section
 15 shall be deposited in a special account in the general revenue fund
 16 and may be appropriated only to the department.

17 SECTION 6. Section 1956.041, Occupations Code, as amended
 18 by this Act, applies only to a violation committed on or after the
 19 effective date of this Act. A violation committed before the
 20 effective date of this Act is governed by the law in effect on the
 21 date the violation was committed, and the former law is continued in
 22 effect for that purpose.

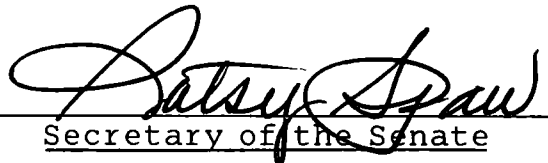
23 SECTION 7. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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President of the Senate


Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 208 passed the Senate on April 18, 2017, by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 1.

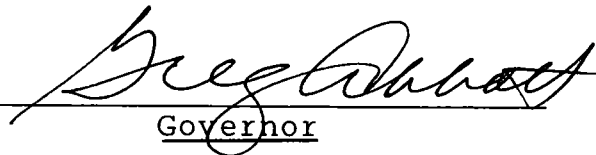

Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 208 passed the House on May 19, 2017, by the following vote: Yeas 141, Nays 3, two present not voting.



Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

5-27-2017
Date


Governor

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Secretary of State

LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD
Austin, Texas

FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

May 5, 2017

TO: Honorable Joseph Pickett, Chair, House Committee on Environmental Regulation

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB208 by West (Relating to the regulation of metal recycling entities; providing an administrative penalty; creating a criminal offense.), **As Engrossed**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Occupations Code to create criminal and administrative penalties for the sale and purchase of explosive devices acquired at metal recycling entities. The bill would also require metal recycling entities to report to DPS any such sale or attempted sale.

The bill would establish a criminal offense on a person who knowingly sells an explosive device to a metal recycling entity or on a metal recycling entity that knowingly buys or stores on its premises an explosive device. The criminal offense would be classified as a Class A misdemeanor or second degree felony. The bill would allow a court to order a defendant, upon conviction, to pay restitution to the state or political subdivision for the costs incurred for responding to the offense or to the owner of any property damaged as a result of the offense.

The bill would revise administrative penalty provisions to allow up to \$1,000 for each violation, with a maximum aggregate penalty of \$10,000 for multiple violations, for certain offenses. The Department of Public Safety's Public Safety Commission would be required to adopt a standardized administrative penalty schedule. Collections from administrative penalties would be deposited into a special account in the General Revenue Fund for appropriation only to the Department of Public Safety.

It is assumed that implementing the provisions of the bill could be absorbed within existing resources. It is also assumed the provisions of the bill addressing felony sanctions for criminal offenses would not result in a significant impact on state correctional agencies.

The bill would take effect September 1, 2017.

Local Government Impact

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 360 State Office of Administrative Hearings, 696 Department of Criminal Justice, 212 Office of Court Administration, Texas Judicial Council, 302 Office of the Attorney General, 304 Comptroller of Public Accounts, 405

Department of Public Safety

LBB Staff: UP, JAW, SZ, AI, LM, JSm, EK

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FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2017

TO: Honorable Craig Estes, Chair, Senate Committee on Natural Resources & Economic Development

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB208 by West (relating to the regulation of metal recycling entities; providing an administrative penalty; creating a criminal offense.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

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TO: Honorable Craig Estes, Chair, Senate Committee on Natural Resources & Economic Development

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB208 by West (Relating to the regulation of metal recycling entities; providing an administrative penalty; creating a criminal offense.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Occupations Code to create criminal and administrative penalties for the use of certain regulated materials acquired at metal recycling entities in the creation of an explosive weapon. It would require the Department of Public Safety (DPS), as part of its Electronic Reporting System, to track the sale or attempted sale of explosive components of explosive weapons. The bill would also require metal recycling entities to report to DPS any such sale or attempted sale within one working day.

It is assumed that implementing the provisions of the bill could be absorbed within existing resources. It is also assumed the provisions of the bill addressing felony sanctions for criminal offenses would not result in a significant impact on state correctional agencies.

The bill would take effect September 1, 2017.

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CRIMINAL JUSTICE IMPACT STATEMENT

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The provisions of the bill addressing felony sanctions are the subject of this analysis. The bill would amend the Occupations Code as it relates to the regulation of metal recycling entities. Under the provisions of the bill, knowingly selling or purchasing an explosive device that results in an individual's death or serious bodily injury as a result of the detonation of an explosive device would be punishable as a second degree felony.

A second degree felony is punishable by confinement in prison for a term from 2 to 20 years and, in addition to confinement, an optional fine not to exceed \$10,000.

Creating a new offense for which a criminal penalty is applied is expected to result in increased demands upon the correctional resources of counties or of the State due to a potential increase in the number of individuals sentenced to a term of supervision in the community or to a term of confinement within state correctional institutions. However, this analysis assumes the provisions of the bill addressing felony sanctions would not result in a significant impact on the demand for state correctional resources.

Source Agencies:

LBB Staff: UP, LM, ZB

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The provisions of the bill addressing felony sanctions are the subject of this analysis. The bill would amend the Occupations Code as it relates to the regulation of metal recycling entities. Under the provisions of the bill, knowingly selling or purchasing certain explosive components or weapons would be punishable as a misdemeanor or felony with the punishment level based on the specific circumstances of the offense. The bill would also make certain activities that result in an individual's death or serious bodily injury punishable as a second degree felony.

A second degree felony is punishable by confinement in prison for a term from 2 to 20 years and a third degree felony is punishable by confinement in prison for a term from 2 to 10 years. In addition to confinement, all felony level offenses are subject to an optional fine not to exceed \$10,000.

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A DEFAULT JUDGMENT MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU *</p> <p>To COLENE KIMBLE HUDSON, RICHARD KIMBLE, JEROME KIMBLE, SAMMY KIMBLE, FRANCES KIMBLE SAVAGE AND MIKE CLARK, THE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS</p> <p>You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Original Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 10TH day of March 2017 before</p>	<p>the Honorable 75TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF LIBERTY COUNTY of the Courthouse in said County in Liberty, Texas</p> <p>Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 15th day of November 2016 in this case numbered CV1611414 on the docket of said court and styled LARRY DENISE WILBURN Plaintiff vs CLARENCE W LINTON, COLENE KIMBLE, RICHARD HUDSON, JEROME KIMBLE, SAMMY KIMBLE, FRANCES KIMBLE SAVAGE AND MIKE CLARK, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, SUCCESSORS DEVICES AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF EACH OF THE ABOVE NAME DEFENDANTS (s)</p> <p>The names of the parties to cause are as follows LARRY WILBURN AND DENISE WILBURN are the Plaintiff and CLARENCE W LINTON, COLENE KIMBLE HUDSON RICHARD KIMBLE, JEROME KIMBLE, SAMMY KIMBLE, FRANCES KIMBLE SAVAGE AND MIKE CLARK, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS, UNKNOWN DEVICES AND UNKNOWN LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF EACH OF THE ABOVE NAME DEFENDANTS are Defendants</p> <p>A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: "Partition for Division of undivided interest in 000043 Reason Green, Tract 288 acres 7.21 ± as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit</p> <p>The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law and the mandates thereof and make due return as the law directs</p> <p>Issued and given</p>	<p>under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Liberty Texas this 30th day of January, 2017</p> <p>Attest Donna G Brown, District Clerk</p> <p>Liberty County, Texas</p> <p>By Destiny Henry</p> <p>PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF INTENT TO INTRODUCE A BILL</p> <p>Pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas notice is hereby given of the intent to apply to the 85th Legislature of the State of Texas at its regular session in Austin, Texas for the introduction of a bill, the substance of the contemplated law being as follows</p> <p>An Act relating to the creation of River Ranch Improvement District of Liberty County, providing authority to issue bonds providing authority to impose assessments, fees or taxes</p> <p>The Act proposes to create an improvement District to be known as River Ranch Improvement District of Liberty County containing approximately 7483 acres located south of the corporate limits of the City of Dayton, partially within the City of Dayton extrajurisdictional and partially within the City of Liberty extrajurisdictional</p> <p>All interested persons will therefore take notice of the matters and facts set out in the foregoing statement of the contemplated law as required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas</p> <p>ATTENTION PRIVATE CITY NONPROFIT SCHOOLS LIBERTY TEXAS</p> <p>A Action Requested Contact Your Local Education Agency (LEA)</p> <p>Your Private Nonprofit School may be eligible to receive educational services from certain Federal Programs such as the Title Programs under No Child Left Behind</p> <p>Please contact our Liberty ISD Central Office for more details Contact Person Margaret Garcia Phone 936-338-7216 Fax 888-519-8835 Email megard@libertyisd.net Mailing Address Liberty ISD 1800 Grand Avenue Liberty, TX 77575</p> <p>Due to the program deadline, please contact our office on or before March 9, 2017</p> <p>B Information Federal Required</p>	<p>of the intent to apply to the 85th Legislature of the State of Texas at its regular session in Austin, Texas for the introduction of a bill, the substance of the contemplated law being as follows</p> <p>The Act proposes to create a Municipal Utility District to be known as River Ranch Municipal Utility District containing approximately 7483 acres located south of the corporate limits of the City of Dayton, partially within the City of Dayton extrajurisdictional and partially within the City of Liberty extrajurisdictional</p> <p>All interested persons will therefore take notice of the matters and facts set out in the foregoing statement of the contemplated law as required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas</p> <p>ATTENTION PRIVATE CITY NONPROFIT SCHOOLS LIBERTY TEXAS</p> <p>A Action Requested Contact Your Local Education Agency (LEA)</p> <p>Your Private Nonprofit School may be eligible to receive educational services from certain Federal Programs such as the Title Programs under No Child Left Behind</p> <p>Please contact our Liberty ISD Central Office for more details Contact Person Margaret Garcia Phone 936-338-7216 Fax 888-519-8835 Email megard@libertyisd.net Mailing Address Liberty ISD 1800 Grand Avenue Liberty, TX 77575</p> <p>Due to the program deadline, please contact our office on or before March 9, 2017</p> <p>B Information Federal Required</p>	<p>ment No Child Left Behind Program Specific Assurance</p> <p>Liberty ISD will provide services to eligible students attending private elementary and secondary schools in accordance with section 1120 (Participation of Children Enrolled in Private Schools) and timely, ongoing and meaningful consultation with private school officials regarding such services [P.L. 107-110 Section 1122(c)(1)(E)]</p> <p>Thank you</p> <p>ATENCIÓN A LAS ESCUELAS PRIVADAS NO LUCRATIVAS LIBERTY, TEXAS</p> <p>A Acción Solicitada. Contacte a su agencia de educación local (LEA)</p> <p>Su escuela privada no lucrativa puede ser eligible para recibir los servicios educativos de ciertos Programas Federales como los Programas del Título conforme a la Ley de Ningun Niño Será Dejado Atrásado (No Child Left Behind)</p> <p>Due to program Nonprofit School may be eligible to determine the help of Ezra Bush has been filed in Liberty County, Texas by terms Bush and Ezra Bush, Jr under Cause No P13141 and is styled "The Estate of Ezra Bush" The Application in this</p> <p>Persona de contacto Margaret Gardina Teléfono 836-338-7216 Fax 888-519-8835 Correo electrónico megard@libertyisd.net Dirección Liberty ISD 1800 Grand Avenue Liberty TX 77575 Debido a los plazos del programa, por favor póngase en contacto con nuestra oficina a más tardar el 9 de Marzo del 2017</p> <p>B Información Federal Requerida</p>	<p>Alraasado (No Child Left Behind)</p> <p>El ISD Liberty proporcionará servicios a los estudiantes que asisten a las escuelas primarias y secundarias privadas que conforme a la sección 1120 (Participación de niños inscritos en escuelas privadas), y la consulta oportuna, continua y significativa con funcionarios de la escuela privada respecto a tales servicios [P.L. 107-110 Sección 1122(c)(1)(E)]</p> <p>Gracias</p> <p>LEGAL NOTICE</p> <p>Application has been made with the Texas Alcohol Beverage Commission for Beer and Wine License and On Premise Late Hours License by Richard K Gashaw DBA The Dollar Saloon to be located at 9632 Highway 321, Dayton, Liberty County, Texas 77635 Owner of The Dollar Saloon is Richard K Gashaw</p> <p>THE STATE OF TEXAS</p> <p>TO ANY INTERESTED PERSON IN THE ESTATE OF EZRA BUSH YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT</p> <p>an application to determine the help of Ezra Bush has been filed in Liberty County, Texas by terms Bush and Ezra Bush, Jr under Cause No P13141 and is styled "The Estate of Ezra Bush" The Application in this</p>	<p>cause was filed on or about January 16, 2017 in the Liberty County Court of Law</p> <p>NOTICE TO THE INTERESTED PARTY A hearing has been scheduled to determine the heirs of Ezra Bush on March 9, 2017 at 1:30 p.m. All persons interested in the estate should appear on such date and contest said application should they desire to do so. You may employ an attorney if you or your attorney do not contest the application on or before March 9, 2017 the heirs will be determined as provided for in the application</p> <p>ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE ON FEBRUARY 22, 2017, at Liberty County Texas Liberty County Clerk LUCERO CASTRO</p> <p>The City of Kanefick, Texas is soliciting proposals for the 2016 financial audit. Proposals are due by 5 PM on April 3, 2017 at 3584 FM 1008, Dayton, Texas 77635 or by mail to 3584 FM 1008, Dayton, Texas 77635. For more information call 936-258-2130</p> <p>THE CITY OF LIBERTY is soliciting Sealed Proposals to be received no later than 2:00 PM March 9, 2017</p> <p>Mark Envelope "PROPOSAL NO 2017-02 - SALE OF REAL PROPERTY"</p>	<p>Return Envelope To The City Secretary's Office The City of Liberty 1829 Sam Houston Liberty Texas 77575</p> <p>For Sale of Real Property 1308 North Main Street Liberty Texas 77575 Liberty County, Texas</p> <p>Proposals To Be Opened Council Chambers The City of Liberty 1829 Sam Houston Liberty, Texas 77575</p> <p>Sealed proposals will be received (facsimile and e/lectronic will not be accepted) until this time and will be publicly opened and read aloud. You are invited to attend the proposal opening. Any proposals received after closing time will not be accepted and will be returned unopened to the proposer. Proposals will be presented to the City Council for consideration at a meeting to be held March 14, 2017</p> <p>For further information, property inspection, or to request a bid packet, contact Gary Brox, City Manager 1829 Sam Houston Liberty Texas 77675, (936) 336-3884</p> <p>The City of Liberty is soliciting proposals to be received no later than 2:00 PM March 9, 2017</p> <p>Dianne Tidwell City Secretary</p>



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BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED NOTARY, Jennifer Gray
ON THIS 7 DAY OF March 2017, PERSONALLY
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BE A CREDIBLE PERSON AND OF LAWFUL AGE, WHO BEING BY ME FIRST
DULY SWORN, ON HIS/HER OATH, DEPOSES AND SAYS:

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