(2) the criminal district attorneys for the counties of Anderson, Austin, Bastrop, Bexar, Bowie, Brazoria, Caldwell, Calhoun, Cass, Collin, Comal, Dallas, Deaf Smith, Denton, Eastland, Fannin, Galveston, Grayson, Gregg, Harrison, Hays, Hidalgo, Jasper, Jefferson, Kaufman, Lubbock, McLennan, Madison, Navarro, Newton, Panola, Polk, Randall, Rockwall, San Jacinto, Smith, Tarrant, Taylor, Tyler, Upshur, Van Zandt, Victoria, Walker, Waller, Wichita, Wood, and Yoakum; and

(3) the county attorneys performing the duties of district attorneys in the counties of Andrews, Callahan, Cameron, Castro, Colorado, Crosby, Ellis, Falls, Freestone, Gonzales, Lamar, Lamb, Lampasas, Lee, Limestone, Marion, Milam, Morris, Ochiltree, Orange, Rains, Red River, Robertson, Rusk, Swisher, Terry, Webb, and Willacy.

SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed by the House on April 26, 2013: Yeas 138, Nays 1, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 22, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved June 14, 2013.

Effective September 1, 2013.

CHAPTER 873

H.B. No. 697

AN ACT

relating to a sales and use tax exemption for certain items sold by school booster clubs and support organizations; authorizing a sales and use tax exemption.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Section 151.314(d), Tax Code, is amended to read as follows:

(d) Food products, meals, soft drinks, and candy for human consumption are exempted from the taxes imposed by this chapter if:

(1) served by a public or private school, school district, student organization, booster club or other school support organization, or parent-teacher association under an agreement with the proper school authorities in an elementary or secondary school during the regular school day or by a parent-teacher association during a fund-raising sale the proceeds of which do not benefit an individual;

(2) sold by a church or at a function of a church;

(3) served to a patient or inmate of a hospital or other institution licensed by the state for the care of humans; or

(4) served to a permanent resident of a retirement facility which provides permanent housing and residence to individuals, a majority of whom are 60 years or older; or

(5) sold during an event sponsored or sanctioned by an elementary or secondary school or school district at a concession stand operated by a booster club or other school support organization formed to support the school or school district, but only if the proceeds from the sales benefit the school or school district.

SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act does not affect tax liability accruing before the effective date of this Act. That liability continues in effect as if this Act had not been enacted, and the former law is continued in effect for the collection of taxes due and for civil and criminal enforcement of the liability for those taxes.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed by the House on May 1, 2013: Yeas 141, Nays 2, 2 present, not voting; the House concurred in Senate amendments to H.B. No. 697 on May 24, 2013: Yeas 146, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate, with amendments, on May 22, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.
CHAPTER 874

H.B. No. 698

AN ACT

relating to certain procedures for submitting legible and classifiable fingerprints with an application for a license to carry a concealed handgun.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 411.175 to read as follows:

Sec. 411.175. PROCEDURES FOR SUBMITTING FINGERPRINTS. The department shall establish procedures for the submission of legible and classifiable fingerprints by an applicant for a license under this subchapter who:

(1) is required to submit those fingerprints to the department, including an applicant under Section 411.199, 411.1991, or 411.201; and

(2) resides in a county having a population of 46,000 or less and does not reside within a 25-mile radius of a facility with the capability to process digital or electronic fingerprints.

SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only to an application for a license to carry a concealed handgun that is submitted to the Department of Public Safety on or after the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed by the House on May 9, 2013: Yeas 139, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 21, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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Effective September 1, 2013.

CHAPTER 875

H.B. No. 705

AN ACT

relating to the definition of emergency services personnel for purposes of the enhanced penalty prescribed for an assault committed against a person providing services in that capacity.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Section 22.01(e)(1), Penal Code, is amended to read as follows:

(1) "Emergency services personnel" includes firefighters, emergency medical services personnel as defined by Section 773.003, Health and Safety Code, emergency room personnel, and other individuals who, in the course and scope of employment or as a volunteer, provide services for the benefit of the general public during emergency situations.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed by the House on May 9, 2013: Yeas 139, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 21, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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