

## **BILL ANALYSIS**

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### **DIGEST AND PURPOSE**

Currently, the Texas Government Code authorizes district judges in the 12th, 258th, and 278th district courts, among others, to appoint a bailiff. H.B. 3033 adds the 75th and 253rd district courts to the list of district courts the judges of which may appoint a bailiff under the Texas Government Code.

### **RULEMAKING AUTHORITY**

This bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

### **SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS**

SECTION 1. Amends Section 53.002(f), Government Code, to authorize the judges of the 12th, 75th, 253rd, 258th, and 278th district courts to each appoint a bailiff.

SECTION 2. Amends Section 53.009(k), Government Code, to make conforming changes.

SECTION 3. Effective date: September 1, 2003.