

BILL ANALYSIS

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H.B. 790
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DIGEST

Currently, Department of Public Safety employees are paid once a month. The comptroller has the authority to designate state agency employees that are to be paid twice a month. This bill entitles Department of Public Safety employees to be paid twice a month.

PURPOSE

As proposed, H.B. 790 entitles Department of Public Safety employees to be paid twice a month.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

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

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Section 659.082, Government Code, to provide that an employee is entitled to be paid employment compensation twice a month if the employee is employed by certain agencies, including the Texas Workforce Commission, rather than the Texas Employment Commission, and the Department of Public Safety.

SECTION 2. Effective date: September 1, 1997.
Makes application of this Act prospective.

SECTION 3. Emergency clause.