

CHAPTER 213

S.B. No. 748

AN ACT

relating to district and county attorneys conducting a private practice of law in county or district offices.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter A, Chapter 41, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 41.011 to read as follows:

*Sec. 41.011. PRIVATE PRACTICE IN COUNTY OR DISTRICT OFFICE. A district or county attorney who is not prohibited by law from engaging in the private practice of law may, at the discretion of the commissioners court of a particular county, conduct a private practice of law using the district or county office provided by that county for conducting his official duties.*

SECTION 2. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Passed the Senate on April 24, 1987, by a viva-voce vote. Passed the House on May 15, 1987, by the following vote: Yeas 144, Nays 0, one present not voting.

Approved May 28, 1987.

Effective Aug. 31, 1987, 90 days after date of adjournment.