

An Act.

To translate the Laws of the Republic into the Castilian Language, and promulgate the same.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Republic of Texas, in Congress assembled: That in justice to that numerous portion of our fellow Citizens who understand only the Castilian language, and who are consequently wholly ignorant of the most important laws to which their obedience is required, the Secretary of State shall be authorized to contract with some person properly qualified for the translation and compilation of such general and penal enactments as have been made by the former and present Congress, that a sufficient number of copies of the same shall be printed and distributed in those Counties where the population alluded to may reside, and that in future all general enactments shall as soon as practicable be translated into the Castilian language, and transmitted to the Chief Justices and Justices of Peace of said Counties, who shall give due publicity to said laws; any laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

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