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Gov. Abbott signs Javier Ambler Act, banning reality TV shows from partnering with law enforcement.

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AUSTIN, Texas — Gov. Greg Abbott has signed into law the Javier Ambler Act, which bans reality TV shows from partnering with Texas law enforcement.

House Bill 54 passed the Texas House 110-34 on April 15, before making its way to the Senate, where it passed on May 13 in a 27-3 vote. After Abbott's signature on Wednesday, the law became effective immediately.

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