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28	(2) [ <del>(a)</del> ] An actor commits a threat of violence if the actor:
29	[(i)] (a) [(A)] (i) threatens to commit an offense:
30	(A) under Title 76, Chapter 5, Part 4, Sexual Offenses; or
31	(B) involving bodily injury, death, or substantial property damage; and
32	$[(B)]$ (ii) acts with intent to place an individual in $\hat{H} \rightarrow [\underline{imminent}] \leftarrow \hat{H}$ fear [of imminent]
33	(A) that the actor will $\hat{\mathbf{H}} \rightarrow \underline{\mathbf{imminently}} \leftarrow \hat{\mathbf{H}}$ commit an offense under Title 76, Chapter 5,
33a	Part 4, Sexual
34	Offenses, against the individual; or
35	(B) of $\hat{\mathbf{H}} \rightarrow \underline{\mathbf{imminent}} \leftarrow \hat{\mathbf{H}}$ serious bodily injury, substantial bodily injury, or death; or
36	[(ii)] (b) makes a threat, accompanied by a show of immediate force or violence, to do
37	bodily injury to an individual.
38	[(b) A threat under this section may be express or implied.]
39	(3) (a) A violation of Subsection (2) is a class B misdemeanor.
40	(b) An actor who commits an offense under this section is subject to punishment for
41	that offense, in addition to any other offense committed, including the carrying out of the
42	threatened act.
43	[(c) In addition to any other penalty authorized by law, a court shall order an actor
44	convicted of a violation of this section to reimburse any federal, state, or local unit of
45	government, or any private business, organization, individual, or entity for all expenses and
46	losses incurred in responding to the violation, unless the court states on the record the reasons
47	why the reimbursement would be inappropriate.]
48	(4) It is not a defense under this section that the actor did not attempt to or was
49	incapable of carrying out the threat.
50	(5) A threat under Subsection (2) may be express or implied.
51	Section 2. Effective date.
52	This bill takes effect on May 1, 2024.

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