

2017 Texas Statutes: Penal Code:
Title 2: General Principles of Criminal Responsibility,
Chapter 9: Justification Excluding Criminal Responsibility.
<https://law.justia.com/codes/texas/2017/penal-code/title-2/chapter-9/>

Sub-Chapter C. Protection of Persons:

Sec. 9.33. Defense of Third Person.

A person is Justified
in Using Force or Deadly Force
against another
To Protect a Third Person

If:

(1) under the circumstances as the actor Reasonably Believes them to be,

the Actor would be Justified

under Section 9.31 or 9.32

in Using Force or Deadly Force
To Protect Himself

against the Unlawful Force or Unlawful Deadly Force

he Reasonably Believes to be

Threatening the Third Person he seeks to protect;

And

(2) the actor Reasonably Believes that
his Intervention is Immediately Necessary
To Protect the Third Person.