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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT
- 2 relating to strategic communication between the Public Utility
- 3 Commission of Texas and the Railroad Commission of Texas during a
- 4 disaster.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 6 SECTION 1. Subchapter A, Chapter 31, Utilities Code, is
- 7 amended by adding Section 31.006 to read as follows:
- 8 Sec. 31.006. STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION WITH RAILROAD
- 9 COMMISSION DURING EMERGENCY OR DISASTER. During a disaster
- 10 <u>declared by the president of the United States or the governor that</u>
- 11 results in a widespread power outage, the commission shall
- 12 communicate with the Railroad Commission of Texas in order to
- 13 strategically plan and implement a response to the emergency.
- 14 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.