

Amend **HB 1931** by adding the following section, appropriately numbered, and by renumbering subsequent sections accordingly:

SECTION \_\_\_\_ . Section 117.012, Natural Resources Code, is amended by amending Subsections (h), (i), and (k) and adding Subsections (l) and (m) to read as follows:

(h) The commission shall require operators or their designated representatives to communicate and conduct liaison activities with fire, police, and other appropriate public emergency response officials. The liaison activities must be conducted by meetings in person except as provided by this section. An operator or the operator's representative may conduct required community liaison activities as provided by Subsection (i) only if the operator or the operator's representative has made an effort, by one of the following methods, ~~[the following efforts]~~ to conduct a community liaison meeting in person with the officials:

(1) mailing a written request for a meeting in person to the appropriate officials by certified mail, return receipt requested;

(2) sending a request for a meeting in person to the appropriate officials by facsimile transmission; or ~~[and]~~

(3) making one or more telephone calls or e-mail message transmissions to the appropriate officials to request a meeting in person.

(i) If the operator or operator's representative cannot arrange a meeting in person after complying with Subsection (h), the operator or the operator's representative shall make an effort, by one of the following methods, ~~[the following efforts]~~ to conduct community liaison activities by means of a telephone conference call with the officials:

(1) mailing a written request for a telephone conference to the appropriate officials by certified mail, return receipt requested;

(2) sending a request for a telephone conference to the appropriate officials by facsimile transmission; or ~~[and]~~

(3) making one or more telephone calls or e-mail message transmissions to the appropriate officials to request a telephone conference.

(k) The commission by rule shall require the owner or operator of each ~~[interstate or]~~ intrastate hazardous liquid or carbon dioxide pipeline facility any part of which is located within 1,000 feet of a public school building containing classrooms, or within 1,000 feet of another public school facility where students congregate, to:

(1) on written request, provide in writing the following parts of a pipeline emergency response plan that are relevant to the school:

(A) a description and map of the pipeline facilities that are within 1,000 feet of the school building or facility;

(B) a list of any product transported in the segment of the pipeline that is within 1,000 feet of the school facility;

(C) the designated emergency number for the pipeline facility operator;

(D) information on the state's excavation one-call system; and

(E) information on how to recognize, report, and respond to a product release ~~[develop an emergency response plan in consultation with the fire department in whose jurisdiction the school is located or another local emergency response entity]; and~~

(2) mail a copy of the requested items by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the superintendent of the school district in which the school building or facility is located  
~~[present the plan.~~

~~[(A) at the first annual budget meeting of the board of trustees of the school district in which the school is located after the plan is developed; and~~

~~[(B) at subsequent annual budget meetings of the board of trustees of the school district on the request of the board].~~

(1) A pipeline operator or the operator's representative shall appear at a regularly scheduled meeting of the school board to explain the items listed in Subsection (k) if requested by the school board.

(m) The commission may not require the release of parts of an emergency response plan that include security sensitive information including maps or data. Security sensitive information shall be made available for review by but not provided to the school board.