

Amend SB 970 as follows:

(1) In SECTION 1 of the bill, strike Section 122.003, Agriculture Code (Committee printing, page 1, lines 22-24, and page 2, lines 1-3), and substitute the following:

Sec. 122.003. REQUIREMENTS FOR SALE OR TRANSPORT. Unless a person is registered as provided by Section 122.004, a person may not:

- (1) sell the plant;
- (2) offer the plant for sale; or
- (3) transport the plant out of this state.

(2) In SECTION 1 of the bill, strike Sections 122.005, 122.006, 122.007 and 122.008(a), Agriculture Code (Committee printing, page 2, lines 16-27, and page 3, lines 1-9), and substitute the following:

Sec. 122.005. STOP-SALE ORDER. In enforcing this chapter, the department may issue and enforce a written or printed order to stop the sale of a desert plant or a shipment of desert plants sold or transported by a person who is not registered as provided by Section 122.004. If an order is issued, a person may not sell the plant or shipment until the person has been properly registered.

Sec. 122.006. AUTHORITY TO SEIZE PLANTS. In enforcing this chapter, the department with or without process may seize a desert plant or a shipment of desert plants that is intended:

- (1) for sale or shipment by a person who is not registered as provided by Section 122.004; and
- (2) for transfer out of this state.

Sec. 122.007. PENALTY. (a) A person commits an offense if the person:

- (1) advertises, sells, or offers for sale a desert plant or a shipment of desert plants; and
- (2) the person is not registered as provided by Section 122.004.