

By: West

H.B. No. 2261

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the composition of the Eighth and Eleventh courts of appeals districts.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Sections 22.201(i) and (l), Government Code, are amended to read as follows:

(i) The Eighth Court of Appeals District is composed of the counties of ~~[Andrews,]~~ Brewster, Crane, Crockett, Culberson, ~~[Ector,]~~ El Paso, ~~[Gaines, Glasscock,]~~ Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, Loving, ~~[Martin, Midland,]~~ Pecos, Presidio, Reagan, Reeves, Terrell, Upton, and Ward~~[, and Winkler]~~.

(l) The Eleventh Court of Appeals District is composed of the counties of Andrews, Baylor, Borden, Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Dawson, Eastland, Ector, Erath, Fisher, Gaines, Glasscock, Haskell, Howard, Jones, Knox, Martin, Midland, Mitchell, Nolan, Palo Pinto, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, Taylor, ~~[and]~~ Throckmorton, and Winkler.

SECTION 2. This Act does not affect the jurisdiction on appeal of any case from a county that is transferred by this Act to a different court of appeals district if the transcripts for the case were filed before the effective date of this Act in the appropriate court of appeals district.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.