

By: Farabee

H.B. No. 2847

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 2847:

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C.S.H.B. No. 2847

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the repeal of the Texas Aggregate Quarry and Pit Safety
3 Act.

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

5 SECTION 1. On the effective date of this Act:

6 (1) all powers, duties, functions, and activities performed
7 by the Railroad Commission of Texas under chapter 133, Natural
8 Resources Code, immediately before the effective date of this Act
9 are transferred to the Texas Department of Transportation;

10 (2) all employees of the Railroad Commission of Texas whose
11 primary duties relate to the implementation of the Texas Aggregate
12 Quarry and Pit Safety Act become employees of the Texas Department
13 of Transportation;

14 (3) a rule, form, order, or procedure adopted by the
15 Railroad Commission of Texas for the implementation or enforcement
16 of the Texas Aggregate Quarry and Pit Safety Act is a rule, form,
17 order, or procedure of the Texas Department of Transportation and
18 remains in effect until changed by the Texas Department of
19 Transportation;

20 (4) a reference in chapter 133, Natural Resources Code, to
21 the Railroad Commission of Texas means the Texas Department of
22 Transportation;

23 (5) a permit or certification in effect under chapter 133,
24 Natural Resources Code, that was issued by the Railroad Commission

1 of Texas is continued in effect as a permit or certification issued
2 by the Texas Department of Transportation; and

3 (6) a complaint, investigation, or other proceeding under
4 chapter 133, Natural Resources Code, pending before the Railroad
5 Commission of Texas is transferred without change in status to the
6 Texas Department of Transportation.

7 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.