

1-1 By: Armbrister S.B. No. 780
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 28, 2003; March 5, 2003,
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources;
1-4 May 23, 2003, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 8,
1-5 Nays 0; May 23, 2003, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to a requirement that certain irrigation systems have rain
1-9 shut-off devices.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 1903.053, Occupations Code, is amended
1-12 by adding Subsection (d) to read as follows:

1-13 (d) Notwithstanding Subsection (b), the commission shall
1-14 adopt standards requiring a newly installed or modified irrigation
1-15 system to have a rain shut-off device that overrides the irrigation
1-16 cycle of the system when a specified amount of rainfall has
1-17 occurred.

1-18 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

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