

Amend **HB 3** on third reading as follows:

(1) Strike the SECTION in PART A, ARTICLE 3 of the bill that amends Section 151.315, Tax Code, and renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly.

(2) Add the following appropriately numbered ARTICLE to the bill and renumber subsequent ARTICLES of the bill accordingly:

ARTICLE \_\_. PROFESSIONAL FEES

SECTION \_\_.01. Section 153.053, Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 153.053. SURCHARGE FOR CERTAIN FEES. (a) The board shall collect a fee surcharge as follows:

- (1) \$350 [~~\$200~~] for the license fee;
- (2) \$700 [~~\$400~~] for the first registration permit;
- (3) \$700 [~~\$400~~] for renewal of a registration permit;

and

(4) \$350 [~~\$200~~] for reinstatement of a license after cancellation for cause.

(b) Of each surcharge collected under Subsections (a)(1) and (4), the board shall deposit \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] to the credit of the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] to the credit of the general revenue fund.

(c) Of each surcharge collected under Subsections (a)(2) and (3), the board shall deposit \$175 [~~\$100~~] to the credit of the foundation school fund and \$525 [~~\$300~~] to the credit of the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.02. Sections 201.153(b) and (c), Occupations Code, are amended to read as follows:

(b) Each of the following fees imposed under Subsection (a) is increased by \$350 [~~\$200~~]:

- (1) the fee for an annual renewal of a license;
- (2) the fee for issuance of a license to an out-of-state applicant;
- (3) the fee for an examination; and
- (4) the fee for a reexamination.

(c) For each \$350 [~~\$200~~] fee increase collected under Subsection (b), \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited in the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited in the general

revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.03. Section 254.004(b), Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The amount of the dental application fee and dentist annual renewal fee is the amount set by the board under Subsection (a) and an additional charge of \$350 [~~\$200~~]. Of each fee increase collected under this subsection, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited to the credit of the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited to the credit of the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.04. Sections 351.153(a) and (b), Occupations Code, are amended to read as follows:

(a) The fee for the issuance of a license under this chapter and the fee for the renewal of a license under this chapter are the amounts of those fees set by the board under Section 351.152 and an additional fee of \$350 [~~\$200~~].

(b) Of each additional fee collected, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited in the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited in the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.05. Sections 501.153(a) and (b), Occupations Code, are amended to read as follows:

(a) The amount of the following fees is the amount set by the board under Section 501.152 and an additional charge of \$350 [~~\$200~~]:

- (1) the fee for renewing a license;
- (2) the fee for applying to take the provisional license examination; and
- (3) the fee for renewing a provisional license.

(b) Of each additional \$350 [~~\$200~~] collected, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited to the credit of the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited to the credit of the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.06. Sections 801.154(b) and (c), Occupations Code, are amended to read as follows:

(b) The license renewal fee set by the board under this chapter is the amount set by the board under Subsection (a) and an additional fee of \$350 [~~\$200~~].

(c) Of each additional fee collected under Subsection (b),

\$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited in the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited in the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.07. Section 901.406, Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 901.406. FEE INCREASE. (a) The fee for the issuance of a certificate under this chapter and the fee for the issuance or renewal of a license under this chapter is the amount of the fee set by the board under Section 901.154 and a fee increase of \$350 [~~\$200~~].

(b) For each fee increase collected under this section, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited to the credit of the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited in the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.08. Sections 1001.206(a) and (b), Occupations Code, are amended to read as follows:

(a) The fee for a license under this chapter, for the annual renewal of that license, and for a reciprocal license under this chapter is increased by \$350 [~~\$200~~].

(b) Of each fee increase collected, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited in the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited in the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.09. Section 1051.652, Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1051.652. FEE INCREASE. (a) The fee for the issuance of a certificate to an applicant possessing a license or certificate to practice architecture in another state and the fee for the renewal of a certificate under this chapter are increased by \$350 [~~\$200~~].

(b) Of each fee increase collected, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited in the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited in the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.10. Section 1052.0541, Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1052.0541. FEE INCREASE. (a) The fee for the issuance of a certificate of registration under this chapter and the fee for the renewal of a certificate of registration under this chapter is increased by \$350 [~~\$200~~].

(b) Of each fee increase collected, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited in the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited in the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.11. Section 1053.0521, Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1053.0521. FEE INCREASE. (a) The fee for the issuance of a certificate of registration under this chapter and the fee for the renewal of a certificate of registration under this chapter is increased by \$350 [~~\$200~~].

(b) Of each fee increase collected, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited in the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited in the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.12. Sections 1071.1521(a) and (b), Occupations Code, are amended to read as follows:

(a) The fee for the issuance of a certificate of registration to a registered professional land surveyor under this chapter and the fee for the renewal of a certificate of registration for a registered professional land surveyor under this chapter is increased by \$350 [~~\$200~~].

(b) Of each fee increase collected, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited in the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited in the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.13. Section 1101.153, Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1101.153. FEE INCREASE. (a) The fee for filing an original application for an individual broker license and the fee for annual renewal of an individual broker license is the amount of the fee set by the commission under Section 1101.152 and a fee increase of \$350 [~~\$200~~].

(b) Of each fee increase collected under Subsection (a), \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited to the credit of the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited to the credit of the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.14. Section 1152.053, Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1152.053. FEE INCREASE. (a) The fee for the registration of a person under this chapter and the fee for the

renewal of a registration under this chapter is increased by \$350 [~~\$200~~].

(b) Of each fee increase collected, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited in the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited in the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.15. Section 191.142(b), Tax Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The tax rate is \$350 [~~\$200~~] per year to be paid in advance.

SECTION \_\_.16. Section 41, The Securities Act (Article 581-41, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 41. INCREASE IN FEES. (a) Each of the following fees imposed by or under another section of this Act is increased by \$350 [~~\$200~~]:

(1) fee for filing any original application of a dealer or investment adviser or for submitting a notice filing for a federal covered investment adviser;

(2) fee for filing any renewal application of a dealer or investment adviser or for submitting a renewal notice filing for a federal covered investment adviser;

(3) fee for filing any original application for agent, officer, or investment adviser representative or for submitting a notice filing for an investment adviser representative of a federal covered investment adviser; and

(4) fee for filing any renewal application for agent, officer, or investment adviser representative or for submitting a renewal notice filing for an investment adviser representative of a federal covered investment adviser.

(b) Of each fee increase collected, \$87.50 [~~\$50~~] shall be deposited to the credit of the foundation school fund and \$262.50 [~~\$150~~] shall be deposited to the credit of the general revenue fund. This subsection applies to the disposition of each fee increase regardless of any other provision of law providing for a different disposition of funds.

SECTION \_\_.17. Notwithstanding any other law, including law dedicating revenue to the foundation school fund, all revenue

collected as a result of the change in law made by this article shall be deposited to the credit of the general revenue fund.

SECTION \_\_.18. This article applies only to a fee imposed on or after the effective date of this article. A fee imposed before that date is governed by the law in effect on the date the fee is imposed, and that law is continued in effect for that purpose.

SECTION \_\_.19. This article takes effect September 1, 2005, if this Act receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for effect on that date, this article takes effect on the first day of the first month that begins on or after the 91st day after the last day of the legislative session.