

Amend CSSB 7 (House Committee Printing) by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTIONS to the bill and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION __. Section 6, Chapter 178, Acts of the 56th Legislature, Regular Session, 1959 (Article 3183b-1, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 6. (a) Except as provided by Subsection (b) of this section, the [The] power of eminent domain granted by this Act shall be exercised in accordance with Chapter 21, Property Code [the procedure, conditions, and provisions as prescribed in Title 52, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended].

(b) If a charitable corporation to which this Act applies seeks to acquire any real property by condemnation or seeks to purchase any real property that the corporation intends to use in a manner that would not comply with any deed restriction that applies to the property immediately before the purchase, before the charitable corporation initiates condemnation proceedings or records the deed conveying title to the property the charitable corporation shall, in addition to providing any other notice required by law, provide written notice by certified mail to the owner of record, as recorded in the real property records of the county, of each unit of real property:

(1) that the charitable corporation seeks to acquire or purchase; or

(2) that is not more than 200 feet from any boundary of any unit of real property the charitable corporation seeks to acquire or purchase.

SECTION 10. The changes in law made by this Act to Chapter 178, Acts of the 56th Legislature, Regular Session, 1959 (Article 3183b-1, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), apply to the acquisition of real property by eminent domain or the purchase of real property on or after the effective date of this Act unless condemnation proceedings are initiated or a deed conveying title to the property is filed before the effective date of this Act, in which event the acquisition or purchase is governed by the law in effect at the time the proceedings are initiated or the deed is filed, and the former law is continued in effect for that purpose. The changes in law

made by this Act to Chapter 178, Acts of the 56th Legislature, Regular Session, 1959 (Article 3183b-1, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), do not apply to acquisition of real property by eminent domain or the purchase of real property before the effective date of this Act.