

Amend CSHB 1900 (House committee printing) as follows:

(1) Add the following appropriated numbered section to the bill and renumber the subsequent sections accordingly:

SECTION _____. Subchapter B, Chapter 382, Health and Safety Code, is amended by adding Section 382.0217 to read as follows:

Sec. 382.0217. IMPOSITION OF FEE DUE TO EMISSIONS EVENT. (a) "Emissions event" and "regulated entity" have the meanings assigned by Section 382.0215.

(b) Notwithstanding any other law, the commission may impose fees relating to an emissions event in the manner provided by this section.

(c) The commission shall impose on a regulated entity for each emissions event reported by the regulated entity under Section 382.0215 a fee in the amount of \$500 or an adjusted amount as provided by Subsection (d) or (e). A fee collected by the commission under this subsection may be appropriated only to the commission for use in awarding grants to local governments for community-based air pollution reduction projects that reflect community priorities. The fee is exempt from the application of Section 403.095, Government Code.

(d) If the commission determines that a regulated entity is ranked in the top 10 percent of all regulated entities in this state in terms of the regulated entity's emissions event history, the commission may reduce the amount of an emission fee that the commission is authorized to collect from the regulated entity under this chapter by not more than 50 percent.

(e) If the commission determines that a regulated entity is ranked in the bottom 20 percent of all regulated entities in this state in terms of the regulated entity's emissions event history, the commission shall increase the amount of each emission fee that the commission is authorized to collect from the regulated entity under this chapter by at least 20 percent and not more than 50 percent.

(2) On page 5, line 24, between "Act," and "apply", insert "and Section 382.0217, Health and Safety Code, as added by this Act,".