

Amend CSHB 2928 (Senate committee printing) as follows:

(1) In SECTION 1 of the bill, at the end of amended Section 2(11)(B), Development Corporation Act of 1979 (Article 5190.6, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes) (page 1, line 39), strike "or".

(2) In SECTION 1 of the bill, at the end of amended Section 2(11)(C), Development Corporation Act of 1979 (Article 5190.6, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes) (page 1, line 46), strike "." and substitute the following:

; or [~~→~~]

(D) for a corporation created by a city any part of which is located within 25 miles of an international border, the land, buildings, equipment, facilities, expenditures, infrastructure, and improvements that:

(i) the board of directors finds are required or suitable for the development, retention, or expansion of airport facilities or retail businesses or facilities; or

(ii) are undertaken by the corporation if the city that created the corporation has, at the time the project is approved by the corporation as provided by this Act:

(a) a population of less than 50,000;

or

(b) an average rate of unemployment that is greater than the state average rate of unemployment during the 12-month period for which data is available that immediately precedes the date the project is approved.

(3) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION __. Section 4A(i), Development Corporation Act of 1979 (Article 5190.6, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended to read as follows:

(i) Except as provided by this subsection, the corporation may not undertake a project the primary purpose of which is to provide transportation facilities, solid waste disposal facilities, sewage facilities, facilities for furnishing water to the general public, or air or water pollution control facilities. However, the corporation may provide those facilities to benefit property acquired for a project having another primary purpose.

The corporation may undertake a project the primary purpose of which is to provide:

(1) a general aviation business service airport that is an integral part of an industrial park; ~~[or]~~

(2) port-related facilities to support waterborne commerce; or

(3) airport-related facilities, if the corporation is created by a city that is wholly or partly located within 25 miles of an international border and has, at the time the project is approved by the corporation as provided by this Act:

(A) a population of less than 50,000; or

(B) an average rate of unemployment that is greater than the state average rate of unemployment during the 12-month period for which data is available that immediately precedes the date the project is approved.