

1-1 By: Eiland (Senate Sponsor - Jackson) H.B. No. 1891  
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 16, 2005;  
1-3 May 17, 2005, read first time and referred to Committee on Business  
1-4 and Commerce; May 20, 2005, reported favorably by the following  
1-5 vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0; May 20, 2005, sent to printer.)

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

1-8 relating to certain insurers subject to the Texas Windstorm  
1-9 Insurance Association.

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

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 3(k), Article 21.49, Insurance Code, is  
1-12 amended to read as follows:

1-13 (k) "Insurers" means all property insurers authorized to  
1-14 transact property insurance in this State and specifically includes  
1-15 and makes this Act applicable to county mutual companies, Lloyds  
1-16 and reciprocal or interinsurance exchanges, but shall not include:

1-17 (1) ~~[(a)]~~ farm mutual insurance companies operating  
1-18 under [as authorized in] Chapter 911 [16] of this Code;

1-19 (2) nonaffiliated [b)] county mutual fire insurance  
1-20 companies described by Section 912.310 of this code which are  
1-21 writing exclusively industrial fire insurance policies as  
1-22 described by Subsection (a)(2) of that section [defined in Article  
1-23 17.02 of this Code]; and

1-24 (3) ~~[(c)]~~ any companies now operating under Chapters  
1-25 12 and 13 of Title 78 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925,  
1-26 as amended, which have heretofore been repealed.

1-27 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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