

Amend **CSSB 1341** (Senate committee printing) by inserting the following appropriately numbered SECTION and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS accordingly:

SECTION \_\_\_\_ . Article 1, Chapter 626, Acts of the 73rd Legislature, Regular Session, 1993, is amended by adding Section 1.085 to read as follows:

Sec. 1.085. LIMITATION ON POWERS. (a) This section applies only to a water well:

(1) that is located:

(A) outside the territory regulated by the authority; and

(B) in a county containing land that is in the territory regulated by the authority;

(2) that serves as a public water supply to customers in at least four counties, provided that a majority of those counties contain land in the territory regulated by the authority; and

(3) for which the public water system plan review submittal form was received by the commission before the effective date of the Act enacting this section.

(b) Notwithstanding any other law, a water well to which this section applies is exempt from the rules imposed by any groundwater conservation district regarding well spacing or the production or transport of water from the well.