

By: King of Zavala

H.B. No. 2663

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the regulation of signs along interstate and primary  
3 highways.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 391.005, Transportation Code, is amended  
6 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 391.005. EXEMPTION. (a) This chapter does not apply  
8 to a sign erected solely for and relating to a public election if  
9 the sign:

10 (1) is on private property;

11 (2) is erected not earlier than the 90th day before the  
12 date of the election and is removed not later than the 10th day  
13 after the election date;

14 (3) is constructed of lightweight material; and

15 (4) has a surface area not larger than 50 square feet.

16 (b) This chapter does not apply to a sign that:

17 (1) provides notice of a meeting of a nonprofit  
18 service club or charitable organization, or a religious service;  
19 and

20 (2) has a surface area not larger than 18 square feet.

21 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
22 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
23 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
24 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this

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1 Act takes effect September 1, 2007.