

1-1 By: Eiland (Senate Sponsor - Jackson) H.B. No. 2769
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 16, 2007;
1-3 April 17, 2007, read first time and referred to Subcommittee on
1-4 Agriculture, Rural Affairs and Coastal Resources; May 19, 2007,
1-5 reported favorably from Committee on Natural Resources by the
1-6 following vote: Yeas 11, Nays 0; May 19, 2007, sent to printer.)

1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-8 AN ACT

1-9 relating to the marking of oyster beds.

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

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 76.036(a), Parks and Wildlife Code, is
1-12 amended to read as follows:

1-13 (a) The holder of a permit shall clearly and distinctly mark
1-14 by buoys or other permanent markers easily visible above the
1-15 surface of the water the boundaries of the areas designated in the
1-16 permit from which he may take or in which he may deposit oysters.

1-17 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-18 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-19 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-20 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-21 Act takes effect September 1, 2007.

1-22 * * * * *