1-1 By: Gonzales, Martinez (Senate Sponsor - Hinojosa) H.B. No. 3834
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 10, 2007;
1-3 May 14, 2007, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Intergovernmental Relations; May 18, 2007, reported favorably by
1-5 the following vote: Yeas 3, Nays 0; May 18, 2007, sent to
1-6 printer.)

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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relating to authorizing the amount of a fee charged by certain counties for issuing certain utility certificates.

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

SECTION 1. Section 232.028(g), Local Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(g) The commissioners court may impose a fee for a certificate issued under this section for a subdivision part of which is located in the extraterritorial jurisdiction of a municipality and part of which is not located in the extraterritorial jurisdiction of the municipality. The amount of the fee may [not] be the greater of \$30 or [than] the amount of the fee imposed by the municipality for a subdivision that is located entirely in the extraterritorial jurisdiction of the municipality for a certificate issued under Section 212.0115. A person who obtains a certificate under this section is not required to obtain a certificate under Section 212.0115.

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

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