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S.B. No. 317

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to allowing the State Preservation Board to purchase,
3 lease, or maintain indoor plants for the Capitol or Capitol
4 extension.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 2113.105, Government Code, is amended to
7 read as follows:

8 Sec. 2113.105. INDOOR PLANTS. A state agency may not use
9 appropriated money to purchase, lease, or maintain a live or
10 artificial indoor plant unless the agency is:

11 (1) an institution of higher education and the plant
12 is to be used for educational or research purposes; or

13 (2) the State Preservation Board and the plant is to be
14 placed in the Capitol or Capitol extension.

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