

1-1 By: Estes S.B. No. 969  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 27, 2007; March 7, 2007,  
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources;  
1-4 April 2, 2007, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 10,  
1-5 Nays 0; April 2, 2007, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to exemptions from certain fees for government vessels and  
1-9 outboard motors.

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

1-11 SECTION 1. Subchapter B-1, Chapter 31, Parks and Wildlife  
1-12 Code, is amended by adding Section 31.056 to read as follows:

1-13 Sec. 31.056. FEE EXEMPTION FOR GOVERNMENT VESSELS AND  
1-14 OUTBOARD MOTORS. A fee imposed by this chapter does not apply to a  
1-15 vessel or outboard motor purchased by, owned by, or used  
1-16 exclusively in the service of this state, a political subdivision  
1-17 of this state, or the federal government.

1-18 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
1-19 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
1-20 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
1-21 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
1-22 Act takes effect September 1, 2007.

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