

By: Cook

H.B. No. 1683

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to the election, and validation of acts, of members of the  
3 board of directors of Anderson County Underground Water  
4 Conservation District.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 9, Chapter 992, Acts of the 70th  
7 Legislature, Regular Session, 1987, is amended to read as follows:

8 Sec. 9. ELECTION OF DIRECTORS. An [~~Beginning in the second~~  
9 ~~year following the creation election, an~~] election shall be held on  
10 the uniform election date [~~third Saturday~~] in May every two years to  
11 elect the appropriate number of directors to the board.

12 SECTION 2. (a) All governmental and proprietary actions of  
13 the Anderson County Underground Water Conservation District taken  
14 before the effective date of this Act are validated, ratified, and  
15 confirmed in all respects as if the actions had been taken as  
16 authorized by law.

17 (b) This section does not apply to any matter that on the  
18 effective date of this Act:

19 (1) is involved in litigation if the litigation  
20 ultimately results in the matter being held invalid by a final court  
21 judgment; or

22 (2) has been held invalid by a final court judgment.

23 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
24 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as

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1 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
2 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
3 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.