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H.B. No. 2046

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the authority of a county to adopt and enforce a fire
3 code for certain buildings in the unincorporated area of the
4 county.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 233.061(a), Local Government Code, is
7 amended to read as follows:

8 (a) The commissioners court of a county [~~with a population~~
9 ~~of over 250,000 or a county adjacent to a county with a population~~
10 ~~of over 250,000]~~ may adopt a fire code and rules necessary to
11 administer and enforce the fire code.

12 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
13 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
14 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
15 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
16 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.