

AN ACT

relating to the supervision by the Texas Department of Transportation of money appropriated by the federal government for the construction and maintenance of rail facilities.

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

SECTION 1. Section 91.004(c), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(c) Subsection (b) does not apply to money appropriated or allocated:

(1) to a transit authority described by Chapter 451, a transportation authority described by Chapter 452 or 460, or a transit department described by Chapter 453; or

(2) for use by:

(A) a port authority or navigation district created or operating under Section 52, Article III, or Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution; or

(B) a district created under:

(i) Chapter 171;

(ii) Chapter 623, Acts of the 67th Legislature, Regular Session, 1981 (Article 6550c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes);

(iii) Article 6550c-1, Revised Statutes; or

(iv) Article 6550c-3, Revised Statutes.

SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act to Section

1 91.004(c), Transportation Code, applies only to money appropriated
2 or allocated on or after the effective date of this Act. Money
3 appropriated or allocated before the effective date of this Act is
4 subject to the law in effect on that date, and that law is continued
5 in effect for that purpose.

6 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
7 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
8 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
9 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
10 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

H.B. No. 2434

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2434 was passed by the House on March 31, 2009, by the following vote: Yeas 147, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2434 was passed by the Senate on April 30, 2009, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor