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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT
- 2 relating to public meetings for permit applications under the Texas
- 3 Clean Air Act.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 382.056, Health and Safety Code, is
- 6 amended by adding Subsection (k-1) to read as follows:
- 7 (k-1) A permit applicant or the applicant's designated
- 8 representative is required to attend a public meeting held under
- 9 this section and must make a reasonable effort to respond to
- 10 questions relevant to the permit application at the meeting.
- SECTION 2. Subsection (k-1), Section 382.056, Health and
- 12 Safety Code, as added by this Act, applies to a public meeting under
- 13 Section 382.056, Health and Safety Code, held on or after September
- 14 1, 2009.
- 15 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.