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S.B. No. 2008

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to consideration of water produced from exempt wells.

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

SECTION 1. Section 36.1133 Water Code, is added to read as follows:

Sec. 36.1133. When permitting under an adopted availability or managed available groundwater limit, a district may consider the water produced by wells exempt from groundwater district permits.

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