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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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| 1        | AN ACT |
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- 2 relating to the name and powers of the Red River Redevelopment
- 3 Authority.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. The heading to Chapter 3503, Special District
- 6 Local Laws Code, is amended to read as follows:
- 7 CHAPTER 3503. <u>TEXAMERICAS CENTER</u> [<u>RED RIVER DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY</u>]
- 8 SECTION 2. Section 3503.001(1), Special District Local Laws
- 9 Code, is amended to read as follows:
- 10 (1) "Authority" means the TexAmericas Center [Red
- 11 River Redevelopment Authority].
- 12 SECTION 3. Subchapter C, Chapter 3503, Special District
- 13 Local Laws Code, is amended by adding Section 3503.110 to read as
- 14 follows:
- 15 Sec. 3503.110. ASSUMED NAME. The authority may conduct
- 16 business under an assumed name by filing an assumed name
- 17 certificate under Subchapter C, Chapter 71, Business & Commerce
- 18 Code, and complying with that chapter in the same manner as an
- 19 <u>incorporated business.</u>
- SECTION 4. Section 9601.005(a), Special District Local Laws
- 21 Code, is amended to read as follows:
- 22 (a) The district is composed of the following members:
- 23 (1) the City of Annona;
- 24 (2) the City of Avery;

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1 (3) the City of DeKalb;
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- 2 (4) the City of Hooks;
- 3 (5) the City of Maud;
- 4 (6) the City of New Boston;
- 5 (7) the City of Texarkana, Texas;
- 6 (8) the City of Wake Village; and
- 7 (9) the <u>TexAmericas Center</u> [<u>Red River Redevelopment</u>
- 8 Authority].
- 9 SECTION 5. Section 9601.006(a), Special District Local Laws
- 10 Code, is amended to read as follows:
- 11 (a) The territory of the district is composed of all the
- 12 territory contained in:
- 13 (1) the cities of Annona, Avery, DeKalb, Hooks, Maud,
- 14 New Boston, Texarkana, Texas, and Wake Village; and
- 15 (2) the <u>TexAmericas Center</u> [<u>Red River Redevelopment</u>
- 16 Authority], the boundaries of which are described by Section
- 17 3503.004, including territory that has been or may be added under
- 18 Section 3503.005.
- 19 SECTION 6. Section 3503.153, Special District Local Laws
- 20 Code, is repealed.
- 21 SECTION 7. A reference in law to the Red River Redevelopment
- 22 Authority means the TexAmericas Center.
- 23 SECTION 8. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 24 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 25 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 26 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 27 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.