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H.B. No. 1352

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to a study on the number of taxpayers claiming the federal earned income tax credit.

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

SECTION 1. (a) The comptroller of public accounts shall conduct a study on the effect of the provision of federal earned income tax credit information as required by Chapter 104, Labor Code, on:

(1) the number of taxpayers claiming that credit; and

(2) the number of taxpayers in this state who are eligible to claim that credit, but who do not claim the credit.

(b) At the comptroller's request, a state agency shall provide information for and assistance in conducting the study under this section.

(c) Not later than December 1, 2012, the comptroller shall provide a report on the results of the study to the governor, the lieutenant governor, and the legislature.

(d) This section expires September 1, 2013.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.