By: S. Davis of Harris

H.B. No. 2393

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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- 2 relating to a request by the owner of an ownership interest in a
- 3 domestic entity that the interest be uncertificated.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Subchapter E, Chapter 3, Business Organizations
- 6 Code, is amended by adding Section 3.206 to read as follows:
- 7 Sec. 3.206. REQUEST BY OWNER OF AN OWNERSHIP INTEREST THAT
- 8 THE INTEREST BE UNCERTIFICATED. A domestic entity that is required
- 9 by law or its governing documents to issue shares based on
- 10 certificated and uncertificated ownership interest is not in
- 11 violation of the law or its governing documents for failure to issue
- 12 <u>a certificated share of ownership to an owner if the owner has</u>
- 13 specifically made a request before the issuance of the shares that
- 14 the ownership interest be uncertificated.
- 15 SECTION 2. This Act applies only to the issuance of shares
- 16 by a domestic entity on or after the effective date of this Act.
- 17 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.