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H.B. No. 2762

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to continuity of retail electric service during the
3 pendency of an appeal of an order revoking the license of a retail
4 electric provider.

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

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter H, Chapter 39, Utilities Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 39.359 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 39.359. BUSINESS TO CONTINUE DURING APPEAL. The
9 commission shall not interrupt the retail electric provider's right
10 to continue conducting business and serving consumers while any
11 review or appeal is pending of an order revoking the provider's
12 certificate.

13 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
14 a vote of two-thirds of all members elected to each chamber, as
15 provided by Article III, Section 39 of the Texas Constitution. If
16 this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect,
17 this Act takes effect September 1, 2011.