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        (In the Senate - Filed February 24, 2011; March 8, 2011, read first time and referred to Committee on Business and Commerce;
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        May 12, 2011, reported adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 12, 2011,
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        sent to printer.)
        COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 923
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                                         A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
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                                                   AN ACT
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        relating to creating a branch winery permit.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
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        SECTION 1. Subsection (d), Section Beverage Code, is amended to read as follows:
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                                                                                         Alcoholic
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                 (d) This section does not apply to an applicant for a daily
        temporary mixed beverage permit, a branch winery permit, or a
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        caterer's permit.
        SECTION 2. Sections 16.01, 16.011, 16.02, 16.03, 16.04, 16.05, 16.06, 16.07, 16.08, and 16.09, Alcoholic Beverage Code, are designated as Subchapter A, Chapter 16, Alcoholic Beverage Code, and a heading is added to Subchapter A to read as follows:
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                                    SUBCHAPTER A. WINERY PERMIT
        SECTION 3. Chapter 16, Alcoholic Beverage Code, is amended by adding Subchapter B to read as follows:
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                               SUBCHAPTER B. BRANCH WINERY PERMIT

1. AUTHORIZED ACTIVITIES. The holder of a branch
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        winery permit may engage in the same activities as the holder of a
        winery permit.
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        Sec. 16.22.
permit is $75.
Sec. 16.23.
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                                    FEE.
                                            The annual state fee for a branch winery
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                                    BOND NOT REQUIRED.
                                                                  An applicant for a branch
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        winery permit is not required to file a bond.
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                 Sec. 16.24. ISSUANCE OF LICENSE. A branch winery permit may
        be issued only:
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                    (1) to the holder of a winery permit who also holds a winemaker's and blender's basic permit that regulates
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        <u>feder</u>al
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        noncontiguous premises; and
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                         (2) for the noncontiguous premises regulated by the
        federal winemaker's and blender's basic permit that are not the winery permit holder's primary place of business.

Sec. 16.25. EXPIRATION OF PERMIT. A branch winery permit
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        expires on the same date as the holder's winery permit.
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                 Sec. 16.26. APPLICATION. An application for an original or
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time.

renewal branch winery permit may be made concurrently with the application for an original or renewal winery permit or at any other

This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.