1-1 By: Uresti S.B. No. 1157 (In the Senate - Filed March 4, 2011; March 16, 2011, read first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture and Rural Affairs; April 5, 2011, reported favorably by the following vote: 1**-**2 1**-**3 1-4 Yeas 4, Nays 0; April 5, 2011, sent to printer.) 1-5 1-6 1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT relating to the certification of the state's primary standards of 1-8 1-9 weights and measures. 1-10 1-11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 13.113, Agriculture SECTION 1. Subsection (b), ī**-**12 Code, is amended to read as follows: (b) The department shall maintain the <u>primary</u> [official] standards in a safe and suitable place in the offices of the department. The standards may not be moved except for repairs or certification. The department shall maintain the standards in good 1-13 1-14 1**-**15 1**-**16 1-17 order and shall submit them to the National Institute of Standards and Technology or to a laboratory approved by the National Institute of Standards and Technology for certification at least once each 10 years. 1-18 1-19 1-20 1-21 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

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