

Amend **SB 212** (senate committee printing) as follows:

(1) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in the heading to Chapter 81, Natural Resources Code (page 1, line 28), strike "RESOURCES".

(2) In SECTION 2 of the bill, in amended Section 81.001(1), Natural Resources Code (page 1, line 33), strike "Resources".

(3) In SECTION 2 of the bill, in amended Section 81.001(2), Natural Resources Code (page 1, line 36), strike "Resources".

(4) In SECTION 3 of the bill (page 1, lines 39 through 47), strike added Section 81.003, Natural Resources Code, and substitute the following:

Sec. 81.003. TEXAS ENERGY COMMISSION. (a) The Railroad Commission of Texas is renamed the Texas Energy Commission.

(b) A reference in law to:

(1) the Railroad Commission of Texas means the Texas Energy Commission; and

(2) a railroad commissioner or a member of the Railroad Commission of Texas means a member of the Texas Energy Commission.

(5) In SECTION 4 of the bill, in amended Section 81.01001, Natural Resources Code (page 1, line 51), strike "Resources".

(6) Between SECTIONS 4 and 5 of the bill (page 1, between lines 54 and 55), insert the following:

SECTION 4A. Section 81.01001, Natural Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 81.01001. SUNSET PROVISION. The Railroad Commission of Texas is subject to Chapter 325, Government Code (Texas Sunset Act). Unless continued in existence as provided by that chapter, the commission is abolished September 1, 2023 [~~2013~~].

(7) In the recital to SECTION 5 of the bill (page 1, line 56), strike "81.010015, 81.010045," and substitute "81.010045".

(8) In SECTION 5 of the bill, strike added Section 81.010015, Natural Resources Code (page 1, line 58, through page 2, line 4).

(9) In SECTION 6 of the bill, in amended Section 81.01005(a), Natural Resources Code (page 2, line 69), strike "Resources".

(10) In SECTION 6 of the bill, in amended Section

81.01005(b), Natural Resources Code (page 3, line 3), strike "Resources".

(11) In SECTION 17 of the bill, in amended Section 52.092(c)(7), Election Code (page 6, line 56), strike "resources".

(12) In SECTION 18 of the bill, in amended Section 756.126, Health and Safety Code (page 6, line 64), strike "Resources".

(13) Between SECTIONS 18 and 19 of the bill (page 6, after line 69), insert the following:

SECTION 18A. Section 756.126, Health and Safety Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 756.126. SAFETY STANDARDS AND BEST PRACTICES. The Railroad Commission of Texas shall adopt and enforce safety standards and best practices, including those described by 49 U.S.C. Section 6105 et seq., relating to the prevention of damage by a person to a facility, including an interstate or intrastate pipeline facility, under the jurisdiction of the commission.

(14) In the first sentence of SECTION 22 of the bill (page 7, line 58), strike "Resources".

(15) Strike SECTION 23 of the bill (page 8, line 1) and substitute the following:

SECTION 23. (a) Except as provided by Subsection (b) of this section, this Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

(b) Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 17, 18, and 22 of this Act take effect on the date on which the constitutional amendment proposed by the 83rd Legislature, Regular Session, 2013, to rename the Railroad Commission of Texas as the Texas Energy Commission takes effect. If that amendment is not approved by the voters, those sections of this Act have no effect.