By: Hilderbran H.B. No. 213

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT
- 2 relating to the \$1 million total revenue exemption for the
- 3 franchise tax.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 1(c), Chapter 286 (H.B. 4765), Acts of
- 6 the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009, as amended by Section
- 7 37.01, Chapter 4 (S.B. 1), Acts of the 82nd Legislature, 1st Called
- 8 Session, 2011, is repealed.
- 9 SECTION 2. Section 2, Chapter 286 (H.B. 4765), Acts of the
- 10 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009, as amended by Section
- 11 37.02, Chapter 4 (S.B. 1), Acts of the 82nd Legislature, 1st Called
- 12 Session, 2011, and which amended former Subsection (d), Section
- 13 171.002, Tax Code, is repealed.
- SECTION 3. Section 3, Chapter 286 (H.B. 4765), Acts of the
- 15 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009, as amended by Section
- 16 37.03, Chapter 4 (S.B. 1), Acts of the 82nd Legislature, 1st Called
- 17 Session, 2011, and which amended former Subsection (a), Section
- 18 171.0021, Tax Code, is repealed.
- SECTION 4. Section 171.006(b), Tax Code, is amended to read
- 20 as follows:
- 21 (b) Beginning in 2010, on January 1 of each even-numbered
- 22 year, the amounts prescribed by Sections 171.002(d)(2)[τ
- $\frac{171.0021_r}{}$] and $\frac{171.1013(c)}{}$ are increased or decreased by an amount
- 24 equal to the amount prescribed by those sections on December 31 of

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- 1 the preceding year multiplied by the percentage increase or
- 2 decrease during the preceding state fiscal biennium in the consumer
- 3 price index and rounded to the nearest \$10,000.
- 4 SECTION 5. Sections 171.0021 and 171.1016(d), Tax Code, are
- 5 repealed.
- 6 SECTION 6. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 7 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 8 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 9 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 10 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.