By: Geren, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Eltife) (In the Senate - Received from the House April 2, 2013; April 4, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Administration; May 17, 2013, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; May 17, 2013, sent to printer.) 1-1 1-2 1-3 1-4 1-5

1-6		COMMITTEE VOTE			
1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Eltife	Х			
1-9	Uresti	Х			
1-10	Carona	Х			
1-11	Hancock	Х			
1-12	Whitmire	Х			
1-13	Williams			Х	
1-14	Zaffirini			Х	

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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

1**-**17 1**-**18 relating to the regulation and enforcement of dam safety by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. 1-19

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

1-20 SECTION 1. Section 12.052(e-1), Water Code, is amended to read as follows: 1-21

1-22 1-23 (e-1) The commission shall exempt an owner of a dam located on private property from meeting requirements related to dam safety 1-24 if the dam:

1-25 (1)at maximum capacity impounds less than 500 1-26 acre-feet;

1-27 1-28 (2) has a hazard classification of low or significant; (3) is located in a county with a population of less 1-29 than <u>350,0</u>00 [<del>215,000</del>]; and

1-30 (4)is not located inside the corporate limits of a 1-31 municipality.

SECTION 2. SECTION 3. Section 12.052(e-3), Water Code, is repealed.

This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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