1-1 By: King of Zavala (Senate Sponsor - Uresti) H.B. No. 722
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 29, 2013;
1-3 April 30, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Economic Development; May 13, 2013, reported favorably by the
1-5 following vote: Yeas 4, Nays 0; May 13, 2013, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Deuell	X			
1-9	Hancock	X			
1-10	Birdwell			X	
1-11	Davis	X			
1-12	Eltife	X			
1-13	Fraser			X	
1-14	Watson			Χ	

1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

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1-17 relating to the authority of certain counties to impose a county 1-18 hotel occupancy tax.

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

SECTION 1. Section 352.002, Tax Code, is amended by adding Subsection (s) to read as follows:

(s) The commissioners court of a county through which the Nueces River flows, that has a population of more than 11,500 and less than 25,000, and that shares a border with a county that borders the United Mexican States may impose a tax as provided by Subsection (a). The tax imposed under this subsection does not apply to a hotel located in a municipality that imposes a tax under Chapter 351 applicable to the hotel.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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