

1-1 By: Guillen (Senate Sponsor - Carona) H.B. No. 762  
 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 9, 2013, reported favorably by the  
 1-5 following vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; May 9, 2013, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-16 AN ACT

1-17 relating to restrictions on disaster remediation contracts  
 1-18 following a locally declared disaster.

1-19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-20 SECTION 1. Section 57.001(3), Business & Commerce Code, as  
 1-21 added by Chapter 979 (H.B. 1711), Acts of the 82nd Legislature,  
 1-22 Regular Session, 2011, is amended to read as follows:

1-23 (3) "Natural disaster" means the occurrence of  
 1-24 widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property  
 1-25 related to any natural cause, including fire, flood, earthquake,  
 1-26 wind, storm, or wave action, that results in a disaster declaration  
 1-27 by the governor or a local disaster declaration by a county judge  
 1-28 under Chapter 418, Government Code.

1-29 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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