By: Thompson of Harris (Senate Sponsor - Carona) H.B. No. 1953 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 29, 2013; April 30, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Business and Commerce; May 14, 2013, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 14, 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	Carona	Х			
1-9	Taylor	Х			
1-10	Eltife	Х			
1-11	Estes	Х			
1-12	Hancock	Х			
1-13	Lucio	Х			
1-14	Van de Putte	Х			
1-15	Watson	Х			
1-16	Whitmire	Х			

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

1-19 relating to the payment for liquor by a retailer. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 1-20 1-21 SECTION 1. Section 102.32, Alcoholic Beverage Code, is 1-22 1-23 amended by adding Subsection (b-1) to read as follows: (b-1) A wholesale dealer who accepts a check or draft as payment from a retailer for the purchase of liquor must deposit the 1-24 check or draft in the bank for payment or present the check or draft for payment within five business days after it is received. SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013. 1-25 1-26 1-27 * * * * * 1-28

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