

1-1 By: Button, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Hinojosa) H.B. No. 2684  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 29, 2013;  
 1-3 April 29, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on  
 1-4 Finance; May 20, 2013, reported favorably by the following vote:  
 1-5 Yeas 14, Nays 0; May 20, 2013, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-7 Williams	X			
1-8 Hinojosa	X			
1-9 Deuell	X			
1-10 Duncan	X			
1-11 Eltife	X			
1-12 Estes	X			
1-13 Hegar	X			
1-14 Huffman	X			
1-15 Lucio	X			
1-16 Nelson	X			
1-17 Patrick	X			
1-18 Seliger	X			
1-19 West			X	
1-20 Whitmire	X			
1-21 Zaffirini	X			

1-23 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-24 AN ACT

1-25 relating to an exemption from the franchise tax for certain  
 1-26 political subdivision corporations.

1-27 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-28 SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 171, Tax Code, is amended  
 1-29 by adding Section 171.086 to read as follows:

1-30 Sec. 171.086. EXEMPTION: POLITICAL SUBDIVISION  
 1-31 CORPORATION. A political subdivision corporation formed under  
 1-32 Section 304.001, Local Government Code, is exempted from the  
 1-33 franchise tax.

1-34 SECTION 2. This Act applies only to a report originally due  
 1-35 on or after the effective date of this Act.

1-36 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect January 1, 2014.

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