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H.B. No. 3577

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the composition of the governing body of certain
3 regional planning commissions.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 391.006, Local Government Code, is
6 amended by amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (d) to
7 read as follows:

8 (a) Except as provided by Subsection (c) or (d),
9 participating governmental units may by joint agreement determine
10 the number and qualifications of members of the governing body of a
11 commission.

12 (d) If a county participating in a commission has a
13 population of more than 650,000 and less than 850,000, the
14 governing body of the commission must include one member appointed
15 by that county.

16 SECTION 2. A county to which Section 391.006, Local
17 Government Code, as amended by this Act, applies shall appoint a
18 member to the governing body of a regional planning commission as
19 required by that section not later than January 1, 2014.

20 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.