

Suspending limitations on conference committee
jurisdiction, H.B. No. 3153 (Lewis/West)

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H.R. No. 2841

R E S O L U T I O N

1 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the State of
2 Texas, 83rd Legislature, Regular Session, 2013, That House Rule 13,
3 Section 9(a), be suspended in part as provided by House Rule 13,
4 Section 9(f), to enable the conference committee appointed to
5 resolve the differences on House Bill 3153 (the operation and
6 administration of, and practice in courts in, the judicial branch
7 of state government and the composition of certain juvenile boards;
8 imposing a fee) to consider and take action on the following matter:

9 House Rule 13, Section 9(a)(2), is suspended to permit the
10 committee to omit text not in disagreement in proposed SECTION 2.02
11 of the bill, in amended Section 25.0331, Government Code, to read as
12 follows:

13 SECTION 2.02. (a) Effective January 1, 2017, Section
14 25.0331, Government Code, is amended by adding Subsection (c) to
15 read as follows:

16 (c) Cameron County has one statutory probate court, the
17 Probate Court No. 1 of Cameron County.

18 (b) Notwithstanding Section 25.0009, Government Code, the
19 initial vacancy in the office of judge of the Probate Court No. 1 of
20 Cameron County shall be filled by election. The office exists for
21 purposes of the primary and general elections in 2016. A vacancy
22 after the initial vacancy is filled as provided by Section 25.0009,
23 Government Code.

24 (c) The Probate Court No. 1 of Cameron County is created on

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1 January 1, 2017.

2 Explanation: The change is necessary to omit the section
3 amending Section 25.0331, Government Code.