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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to required reports and other documents prepared by state agencies and institutions of higher education.

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

SECTION 1. Section 15.006, Agriculture Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 15.006. BIENNIAL [~~ANNUAL~~] REPORT. The department [~~and the Texas Department of Health~~] shall [~~jointly~~] prepare a biennial [~~an annual~~] report concerning the special nutrition program and submit a copy of the report to the governor, lieutenant governor, and speaker of the house of representatives. The report must include information on the condition of the program, persons served, amount of food coupons redeemed, and funds received and expended.

SECTION 2. Subsection (e), Section 102.167, Agriculture Code, is amended to read as follows:

(e) Not later than December 1 [~~the 30th day~~] before the first day of each regular session of the legislature, the department shall submit to the governor a full report of transactions under this subchapter during the preceding biennium. The report must include a complete statement of receipts and expenditures under this subchapter during the biennium.

SECTION 3. Section 201.028, Agriculture Code, is amended to read as follows:

1           Sec. 201.028. ANNUAL [~~SEMIANNUAL~~] REPORT. Not later than  
2 January 1 [~~and July 1~~] of each year, the state board shall prepare  
3 and deliver to the governor, the lieutenant governor, and the  
4 speaker of the house of representatives a report relating to the  
5 status of the budget areas of responsibility assigned to the board,  
6 including outreach programs, grants made and received, federal  
7 funding applied for and received, special projects, and oversight  
8 of water conservation district activities.

9           SECTION 4. Article 59.11, Code of Criminal Procedure, is  
10 amended to read as follows:

11           Art. 59.11. REPORT OF SEIZED AND FORFEITED AIRCRAFT. Not  
12 later than the 10th day after the last day of each quarter of the  
13 fiscal year, the Department of Public Safety shall report to the  
14 Texas Department of Transportation [~~State Aircraft Pooling Board~~]:

15                   (1) a description of each aircraft that the Department  
16 of Public Safety [~~department~~] has received by forfeiture under this  
17 chapter during the preceding quarter and the purposes for which the  
18 Department of Public Safety [~~department~~] intends to use the  
19 aircraft; and

20                   (2) a description of each aircraft the Department of  
21 Public Safety [~~department~~] knows to have been seized under this  
22 chapter during the preceding quarter and the purposes for which the  
23 Department of Public Safety [~~department~~] would use the aircraft if  
24 it were forfeited to the Department of Public Safety [~~department~~].

25           SECTION 5. Subsection (j), Article 60.02, Code of Criminal  
26 Procedure, is amended to read as follows:

27           (j) At least once during each five-year period the council

1 shall coordinate an examination of the records and operations of  
2 the criminal justice information system to ensure the accuracy and  
3 completeness of information in the system and to ensure the  
4 promptness of information reporting. The state auditor, or other  
5 appropriate entity selected by the council, shall conduct the  
6 examination with the cooperation of the council, the Department of  
7 Public Safety, and the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. The  
8 Department of Public Safety, the council, and the Texas Department  
9 of Criminal Justice may examine the records of the agencies  
10 required to report information to the Department of Public Safety  
11 or the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. The examining entity  
12 shall submit to the legislature and the council a report that  
13 summarizes the findings of each examination and contains  
14 recommendations for improving the system. Not later than the first  
15 anniversary after the date the examining entity submits its report,  
16 the Department of Public Safety shall report to the Legislative  
17 Budget Board, the governor, [~~the state auditor,~~] and the council on  
18 the department's progress in implementing the examining entity's  
19 recommendations, including for each recommendation not implemented  
20 the reason for not implementing the recommendation. The Department  
21 of Public Safety shall submit a similar report each year following  
22 the submission of the first report until each of the examining  
23 entity's recommendations is implemented.

24 SECTION 6. Subsection (a), Section 32.157, Education Code,  
25 is amended to read as follows:

26 (a) After the expiration of the project, the agency may  
27 review the project based on the annual reports the agency receives

1 from the board of trustees of participating school districts. The  
2 agency may include the review of the project in the comprehensive  
3 biennial [~~annual~~] report required under Section 39.332 that  
4 includes [~~covers~~] the 2012-2013 school year.

5 SECTION 7. Subsection (e), Section 39.027, Education Code,  
6 is amended to read as follows:

7 (e) The commissioner shall develop an assessment system  
8 that shall be used for evaluating the academic progress, including  
9 reading proficiency in English, of all students of limited English  
10 proficiency, as defined by Section 29.052. A student who is exempt  
11 from the administration of an assessment instrument under  
12 Subsection (a)(1) or (2) who achieves reading proficiency in  
13 English as determined by the assessment system developed under this  
14 subsection shall be administered the assessment instruments  
15 described by Sections 39.023(a) and (c). The performance under the  
16 assessment system developed under this subsection of students to  
17 whom Subsection (a)(1) or (2) applies shall be included in the  
18 indicator systems under Section 39.301, as applicable, the  
19 performance report under Section 39.306, and the comprehensive  
20 biennial [~~annual~~] report under Section 39.332. This information  
21 shall be provided in a manner that is disaggregated by the bilingual  
22 education or special language program, if any, in which the student  
23 is enrolled.

24 SECTION 8. The heading to Section 39.332, Education Code,  
25 is amended to read as follows:

26 Sec. 39.332. COMPREHENSIVE BIENNIAL [~~ANNUAL~~] REPORT.

27 SECTION 9. Subsection (a), Section 39.332, Education Code,

1 is amended to read as follows:

2 (a) Not later than December 1 of each even-numbered year,  
3 the agency shall prepare and deliver to the governor, the  
4 lieutenant governor, the speaker of the house of representatives,  
5 each member of the legislature, the Legislative Budget Board, and  
6 the clerks of the standing committees of the senate and house of  
7 representatives with primary jurisdiction over the public school  
8 system a comprehensive report covering the two preceding school  
9 years [~~year~~] and containing the information described by Subsection  
10 (b).

11 SECTION 10. Section 39.333, Education Code, is amended to  
12 read as follows:

13 Sec. 39.333. REGIONAL AND DISTRICT LEVEL REPORT. As part of  
14 the comprehensive biennial report under Section 39.332, the [~~The~~]  
15 agency shall submit [~~prepare and deliver to the governor, the~~  
16 ~~lieutenant governor, the speaker of the house of representatives,~~  
17 ~~each member of the legislature, the Legislative Budget Board, and~~  
18 ~~the clerks of the standing committees of the senate and house of~~  
19 ~~representatives with primary jurisdiction over the public school~~  
20 ~~system~~] a regional and district level report covering the preceding  
21 two school years and containing:

22 (1) a summary of school district compliance with the  
23 student/teacher ratios and class-size limitations prescribed by  
24 Sections 25.111 and 25.112, including:

25 (A) the number of campuses and classes at each  
26 campus granted an exception from Section 25.112; and

27 (B) for each campus granted an exception from

1 Section 25.112, a statement of whether the campus has been awarded a  
2 distinction designation under Subchapter G or has been identified  
3 as an unacceptable campus under Subchapter E;

4 (2) a summary of the exemptions and waivers granted to  
5 campuses and school districts under Section 7.056 or 39.232 and a  
6 review of the effectiveness of each campus or district following  
7 deregulation;

8 (3) an evaluation of the performance of the system of  
9 regional education service centers based on the indicators adopted  
10 under Section 8.101 and client satisfaction with services provided  
11 under Subchapter B, Chapter 8;

12 (4) an evaluation of accelerated instruction programs  
13 offered under Section 28.006, including an assessment of the  
14 quality of such programs and the performance of students enrolled  
15 in such programs; and

16 (5) the number of classes at each campus that are  
17 currently being taught by individuals who are not certified in the  
18 content areas of their respective classes.

19 SECTION 11. Subsection (g), Section 51.752, Education Code,  
20 is amended to read as follows:

21 (g) Not later than December 1 of each year, the [~~The~~]  
22 committee shall report to the Legislative Budget Board, [~~at least~~  
23 ~~once a year. The committee shall also report to~~] the governor, the  
24 State Board of Education, the Texas Higher Education Coordinating  
25 Board, and the legislature [~~before the convening of each regular~~  
26 ~~session~~].

27 SECTION 12. Subsection (j), Section 54.633, Education Code,

1 is amended to read as follows:

2 (j) The board may contract with an independent certified  
3 public accountant to annually audit the direct-support  
4 organization under rules adopted by the board. The board shall  
5 submit the audit to the comptroller, governor, lieutenant governor,  
6 speaker of the house of representatives, Legislative Budget Board,  
7 Legislative Audit Committee, [~~state auditor~~] and Texas Higher  
8 Education Coordinating Board. The comptroller [~~or state auditor~~]  
9 may require the direct-support organization or independent  
10 certified public accountant to provide additional information  
11 relating to the operation of the organization.

12 SECTION 13. Subsections (a) and (c), Section 54.642,  
13 Education Code, are amended to read as follows:

14 (a) Not later than December 1 of each year, the board shall  
15 submit to the governor, lieutenant governor, speaker of the house  
16 of representatives, Legislative Budget Board, Legislative Audit  
17 Committee, [~~state auditor~~] and Texas Higher Education  
18 Coordinating Board a report including:

19 (1) the board's fiscal transactions during the  
20 preceding fiscal year;

21 (2) the market and book value of the fund as of the end  
22 of the preceding fiscal year;

23 (3) the asset allocations of the fund expressed in  
24 percentages of stocks, fixed income, cash, or other financial  
25 investments;

26 (4) the rate of return on the investment of the fund's  
27 assets during the preceding fiscal year; and

1 (5) an actuarial valuation of the assets and  
2 liabilities of the program, including the extent to which the  
3 program's liabilities are unfunded.

4 (c) The [~~Not later than December 1 of each year, the~~] board  
5 shall include in the report described by Subsection (a):

6 (1) [~~provide to the Texas Higher Education~~  
7 ~~Coordinating Board~~] complete prepaid tuition contract sales  
8 information, including projected enrollments of beneficiaries at  
9 institutions of higher education; and

10 (2) the information maintained by the board under  
11 Section 54.777.

12 SECTION 14. The heading to Section 54.777, Education Code,  
13 is amended to read as follows:

14 Sec. 54.777. INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR ANNUAL REPORT  
15 [~~REPORTS~~].

16 SECTION 15. Subsection (a), Section 54.777, Education Code,  
17 is amended to read as follows:

18 (a) The [~~Not later than December 1 of each year, the~~] board  
19 shall maintain the following information for the purpose of  
20 inclusion in the annual report under Section 54.642 [~~submit to the~~  
21 ~~governor, lieutenant governor, speaker of the house of~~  
22 ~~representatives, Legislative Budget Board, Legislative Audit~~  
23 ~~Committee, state auditor, and Texas Higher Education Coordinating~~  
24 ~~Board a report including~~]:

25 (1) the fiscal transactions of the board and the plan  
26 manager under this subchapter during the preceding fiscal year;

27 (2) the market and book value of the fund as of the end



1 of the preceding fiscal year;

2 (3) the asset allocations of the fund expressed in  
3 percentages of stocks, fixed income, cash, or other financial  
4 investments;

5 (4) the rate of return on the investment of the fund's  
6 assets during the preceding fiscal year; and

7 (5) an actuarial valuation of the assets and  
8 liabilities of the program, including the extent to which the  
9 program's liabilities are unfunded.

10 SECTION 16. Subsection (i), Section 61.051, Education Code,  
11 is amended to read as follows:

12 (i) The board shall develop and periodically revise a  
13 long-range statewide plan to provide information and guidance to  
14 policy makers to ensure that institutions of higher education meet  
15 the current and future needs of each region of this state for higher  
16 education services and that adequate higher education services at  
17 all levels are reasonably and equally available to the residents of  
18 each region of this state. The board in developing the plan shall  
19 examine existing undergraduate, graduate, professional, and  
20 research programs provided by institutions of higher education and  
21 identify the geographic areas of this state that, as a result of  
22 current population or projected population growth, distance from  
23 other educational resources, economic trends, or other factors,  
24 have or are reasonably likely to have in the future significantly  
25 greater need for higher education services than the services  
26 currently provided in the area by existing institutions of higher  
27 education. The board shall also consider the higher education

1 services provided by private and independent institutions of higher  
2 education in developing the plan. The board shall identify as  
3 specifically as practicable the programs or fields of study for  
4 which an area has or is projected to have a significant unmet need  
5 for services. In determining the need for higher education  
6 [~~educational~~] services in an area, the board shall consider the  
7 educational attainment of the current population and the extent to  
8 which residents from the area attend institutions of higher  
9 education outside of the area or do not attend institutions of  
10 higher education. The board shall include in the plan specific  
11 recommendations, including alternative recommendations, for  
12 administrative or legislative action to address an area's unmet  
13 need for higher education [~~educational~~] services as efficiently as  
14 possible. Not later than November 1 of each even-numbered year, the  
15 board shall deliver to the governor, the lieutenant governor, the  
16 speaker of the house of representatives, and the legislature a  
17 report of the current long-range plan developed under this section.

18 SECTION 17. Section 61.063, Education Code, is amended to  
19 read as follows:

20 Sec. 61.063. LISTING AND CERTIFICATION OF JUNIOR COLLEGES.  
21 The commissioner of higher education shall file with [~~the state~~  
22 ~~auditor and~~] the state comptroller on or before October 1 of each  
23 year a list of the public junior colleges in this state. The  
24 commissioner shall certify the names of those colleges that have  
25 complied with the standards, rules, and regulations prescribed by  
26 the board. Only those colleges which are so certified shall be  
27 eligible for and may receive any appropriation made by the

1 legislature to public junior colleges.

2 SECTION 18. Subsection (e), Section 96.652, Education Code,  
3 is amended to read as follows:

4 (e) The Crime Victims' Institute shall prepare a complete  
5 annual financial report as prescribed by Section 2101.011,  
6 Government Code [~~file annually with the governor and the presiding~~  
7 ~~officer of each house of the legislature a complete and detailed~~  
8 ~~written report accounting for all funds received and disbursed by~~  
9 ~~the institute during the preceding year. The form of the annual~~  
10 ~~report and the reporting time shall be as provided by the General~~  
11 ~~Appropriations Act. The Crime Victims' Institute shall determine~~  
12 ~~the format and contents of the report and may have copies of the~~  
13 ~~report printed for distribution as the institute considers~~  
14 ~~appropriate~~].

15 SECTION 19. Subsection (a), Section 264.608, Family Code,  
16 is amended to read as follows:

17 (a) Not later than December 1 of each year [~~Before each~~  
18 ~~regular session of the legislature~~], the attorney general shall  
19 publish a report that:

20 (1) summarizes reports from volunteer advocate  
21 programs under contract with the attorney general;

22 (2) analyzes the effectiveness of the contracts made  
23 by the attorney general under this chapter; and

24 (3) provides information on:

25 (A) the expenditure of funds under this chapter;

26 (B) services provided and the number of children  
27 for whom the services were provided; and

1 (C) any other information relating to the  
2 services provided by the volunteer advocate programs under this  
3 chapter.

4 SECTION 20. Subsection (b), Section 81.023, Government  
5 Code, is amended to read as follows:

6 (b) The state bar shall file annually with the supreme  
7 court, the governor, and the presiding officer of each house of the  
8 legislature a copy of the annual financial report prepared by the  
9 state bar under Section 2101.011 [~~complete and detailed written~~  
10 ~~report accounting for all funds received and disbursed by the state~~  
11 ~~bar during the preceding fiscal year. The annual report must be in~~  
12 ~~the form and reported in the time provided by the General~~  
13 ~~Appropriations Act~~].

14 SECTION 21. Subsection (b), Section 82.035, Government  
15 Code, is amended to read as follows:

16 (b) The board shall file annually with the supreme court,  
17 the governor, and the presiding officer of each house of the  
18 legislature a copy of the annual financial report prepared by the  
19 board under Section 2101.011 [~~complete and detailed written report~~  
20 ~~accounting for all funds received or disbursed by the board during~~  
21 ~~the preceding fiscal year. The annual report must be in the form~~  
22 ~~and reported in the time provided by the General Appropriations~~  
23 ~~Act~~].

24 SECTION 22. Section 322.011, Government Code, is amended by  
25 amending Subsection (c) and adding Subsection (h) to read as  
26 follows:

27 (c) As soon as practicable after completion of the audit or

1 evaluation under Subsection (a) [~~On the third Tuesday of each~~  
2 ~~January in which the legislature meets in regular session~~], the  
3 board shall make a performance report to the governor and the  
4 legislature.

5 (h) An audit or evaluation under this section is considered  
6 an audit for purposes of the application of Section 552.116,  
7 relating to confidentiality of audit working papers.

8 SECTION 23. Subsection (d), Section 324.008, Government  
9 Code, is amended to read as follows:

10 (d) The governing body of a state agency, as defined by  
11 Sections 2151.002(1) and (3) [~~2151.002(2)(A) and (C)~~], shall  
12 deliver to the library and the Texas State Library and Archives  
13 Commission immediately after transcription a certified copy of the  
14 minutes of any meeting of the governing body. Any changes or  
15 corrections to the minutes shall also be delivered to the library  
16 and the Texas State Library and Archives Commission.

17 SECTION 24. Subsection (b), Section 403.021, Government  
18 Code, is amended to read as follows:

19 (b) A state agency that expends appropriated funds shall  
20 report into the uniform statewide accounting system all payables  
21 and binding encumbrances by appropriation account for the first  
22 three quarters of the current appropriation year within 30 days  
23 after the close of each quarter. A state agency shall report  
24 payables and binding encumbrances for all appropriation years  
25 annually to the comptroller [~~the state auditor~~] and the  
26 Legislative Budget Board no later than October 30 of each year.

27 SECTION 25. Subsection (g), Section 403.1041, Government

1 Code, is amended to read as follows:

2 (g) Before December 1 of each year the comptroller shall  
3 prepare a written report regarding the account during the fiscal  
4 year ending on the preceding August 31. Not later than January 1 of  
5 each year the comptroller shall distribute the report to the  
6 advisory committee, the governor, the lieutenant governor, [~~the~~  
7 ~~state auditor,~~] the attorney general, and the Legislative Budget  
8 Board. The comptroller shall furnish a copy of the report to any  
9 member of the legislature or other interested person on request.

10 The report must include:

11 (1) statements of assets and a schedule of changes in  
12 book value of the investments from the account;

13 (2) a summary of the gains, losses, and income from  
14 investments on August 31;

15 (3) an itemized list of the securities held for the  
16 account on August 31; and

17 (4) any other information needed to clearly indicate  
18 the nature and extent of the investments made of the account and the  
19 income realized from the components of the account.

20 SECTION 26. Subsection (d), Section 411.0097, Government  
21 Code, as added by Chapter 693 (S.B. 293), Acts of the 79th  
22 Legislature, Regular Session, 2005, is amended to read as follows:

23 (d) The department, in conjunction with the border commerce  
24 coordinator, shall develop short-range and long-range plans,  
25 including recommendations to increase bilateral relations with  
26 Mexico and expedite trade by mitigating delays in border crossing  
27 inspections for northbound truck traffic. In developing the plans,

1 the department and coordinator shall consider information obtained  
2 from any meetings under Subsection (a). The department shall  
3 update the plan biennially [~~and submit the updated plan to the~~  
4 ~~lieutenant governor, the speaker of the house of representatives,~~  
5 ~~and each other member of the legislature on or before December 1 of~~  
6 ~~each even-numbered year~~].

7 SECTION 27. Subsection (e), Section 419.008, Government  
8 Code, is amended to read as follows:

9 (e) Not later than January 1 of each odd-numbered year, the  
10 [~~The~~] commission shall report to the governor [~~annually~~] and to the  
11 legislature [~~at each regular session~~] on the commission's  
12 activities. The commission may make recommendations in those  
13 reports on matters under its jurisdiction. The commission may make  
14 other reports in its discretion.

15 SECTION 28. Section 420.009, Government Code, is amended to  
16 read as follows:

17 Sec. 420.009. REPORT. The attorney general shall publish a  
18 report on the service not later than December 10 of each  
19 [~~even-numbered~~] year. The report must summarize reports from  
20 programs receiving grants from the attorney general, analyze the  
21 effectiveness of the grants, and include information on the  
22 expenditure of funds authorized by this chapter, the services  
23 provided, the number of persons receiving services, and any other  
24 information relating to the provision of sexual assault services.  
25 A copy of the report shall be submitted to the governor, lieutenant  
26 governor, speaker of the house of representatives, Legislative  
27 Budget Board, Senate Committee on Health and Human Services or its

1 successor committee, and House Committee on Human Services or its  
2 successor committee.

3 SECTION 29. Subsection (b), Section 431.030, Government  
4 Code, is amended to read as follows:

5 (b) Not later than August 1 of the year in which the  
6 Commissioner of the General Land Office submits a report as  
7 provided by Section 31.157, Natural Resources Code, the adjutant  
8 general shall submit a preliminary report of the report required  
9 under Subsection (a) to the Commissioner of the General Land Office  
10 identifying the real property used for military purposes. Not  
11 later than September 1 of the year in which the Commissioner of the  
12 General Land Office submits a report as provided by Section 31.157,  
13 Natural Resources Code, the adjutant general shall submit the  
14 report as required by Subsection (a) to:

- 15 (1) the governor;
- 16 (2) the presiding officer of each house of the  
17 legislature; and
- 18 (3) ~~[the Legislative Budget Board, and~~  
19 ~~(4)]~~ the Governor's Office of Budget, Planning, and  
20 Policy ~~[governor's budget office]~~.

21 SECTION 30. Subsection (a), Section 431.034, Government  
22 Code, is amended to read as follows:

23 (a) The adjutant general annually shall report to the  
24 governor. The report shall be delivered to the legislature. The  
25 report must include:

- 26 (1) ~~[a complete and detailed written statement~~  
27 ~~accounting for all funds received and disbursed by the department~~



1 ~~during the preceding fiscal year that meets the reporting~~  
2 ~~requirements applicable to financial reporting provided in the~~  
3 ~~General Appropriations Act;~~

4 ~~(2)~~ an account, to the extent of the adjutant  
5 general's knowledge, of all arms, ammunition, and other military  
6 property owned by or in possession of the state, the source from  
7 which it was received, to whom it is issued, and its present  
8 condition;

9 (2) ~~(3)~~ a statement of the number, condition, and  
10 organization of the Texas National Guard and reserve militia;

11 (3) ~~(4)~~ suggestions that the adjutant general  
12 considers important to the military interests and conditions of the  
13 state and the perfection of its military organization;

14 (4) ~~(5)~~ a list and description of all Texas National  
15 Guard missions that are in progress at the time the report is  
16 prepared; and

17 (5) ~~(6)~~ a statement of department plans to obtain  
18 and maintain future Texas National Guard missions, including  
19 proposed missions that are consistent with the United States  
20 Department of Defense's war-fighting strategies, including  
21 strategies used in the war on terrorism.

22 SECTION 31. Subsection (b), Section 531.02492, Government  
23 Code, is amended to read as follows:

24 (b) The commission shall electronically publish on the  
25 commission's Internet website ~~[prepare and deliver]~~ a biennial  
26 report and, on or before the date the report is due, shall notify  
27 ~~to~~ the governor, the lieutenant governor, the speaker of the

1 house of representatives, the comptroller, the Legislative Budget  
2 Board, and the appropriate legislative committees that the report  
3 is available on the commission's Internet website. The report must  
4 address [~~on~~] the efforts of the health and human services agencies  
5 to provide health and human services to children younger than six  
6 years of age. The report may contain recommendations by the  
7 commission to better coordinate state agency programs relating to  
8 the delivery of health and human services to children younger than  
9 six years of age and may propose joint agency collaborative  
10 programs.

11 SECTION 32. Subsection (c), Section 531.103, Government  
12 Code, is amended to read as follows:

13 (c) The commission and the office of the attorney general  
14 shall jointly prepare and submit a semiannual report to the  
15 governor, lieutenant governor, and speaker of the house of  
16 representatives[~~, and comptroller~~] concerning the activities of  
17 those agencies in detecting and preventing fraud, waste, and abuse  
18 under the state Medicaid program or other program administered by  
19 the commission or a health and human services agency. The report  
20 may be consolidated with any other report relating to the same  
21 subject matter the commission or office of the attorney general is  
22 required to submit under other law.

23 SECTION 33. Subsection (e), Section 531.108, Government  
24 Code, is amended to read as follows:

25 (e) The commission shall submit to the governor and  
26 Legislative Budget Board an annual [~~a semiannual~~] report on the  
27 results of computerized matching of commission information with

1 information from neighboring states, if any, and information from  
2 the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. The report may be  
3 consolidated with any other report relating to the same subject  
4 matter the commission is required to submit under other law.

5 SECTION 34. Subsection (e), Section 614.102, Government  
6 Code, is amended to read as follows:

7 (e) The director shall prepare an annual written report on  
8 the activity, status, and effectiveness of the fund and shall  
9 submit the report to the lieutenant governor and~~[,]~~ the speaker of  
10 the house of representatives~~[, and the comptroller]~~ before November  
11 1 of each year.

12 SECTION 35. Subsection (j), Section 661.202, Government  
13 Code, is amended to read as follows:

14 (j) A state agency shall maintain ~~[file]~~ a written statement  
15 ~~[with the state auditor]~~ covering the policies and procedures for  
16 an extension of leave under Subsection (i) and shall make the  
17 statement available to all agency employees. The state agency  
18 shall provide a copy of the statement to the state auditor on  
19 request.

20 SECTION 36. Subsection (a), Section 663.052, Government  
21 Code, is amended to read as follows:

22 (a) The commission shall report to the legislature not later  
23 than December 1 of each even-numbered year ~~[legislative session]~~.

24 SECTION 37. Section 802.301, Government Code, is amended by  
25 adding Subsection (h) to read as follows:

26 (h) The board shall provide to the Legislative Budget Board a  
27 copy of any actuarial impact statement required under this section.

1 SECTION 38. Subsections (c) and (d), Section 825.108,  
2 Government Code, are amended to read as follows:

3 (c) A copy of the report required by Subsection (a) must be  
4 filed with the governor, the lieutenant governor, the speaker of  
5 the house of representatives, the State Pension Review Board, and  
6 the legislative audit committee[~~, and the state auditor~~] no later  
7 than December 15 of each year.

8 (d) A copy of the report required by Subsection (b) must be  
9 filed with the governor, the lieutenant governor, the speaker of  
10 the house of representatives, the State Pension Review Board, and  
11 the legislative audit committee[~~, and the state auditor~~] no later  
12 than March 1 of each year.

13 SECTION 39. Subsection (e), Section 825.407, Government  
14 Code, is amended to read as follows:

15 (e) After the end of each fiscal year, the retirement system  
16 shall report to the comptroller of public accounts [~~and the State~~  
17 ~~Auditor~~] the name of any general academic teaching institution and  
18 any medical and dental unit delinquent in the reimbursement of  
19 contributions under this section for the preceding fiscal year and  
20 the amount by which each reported institution or unit is  
21 delinquent.

22 SECTION 40. Subsection (b), Section 1231.086, Government  
23 Code, is amended to read as follows:

24 (b) On November 15 of each year, the board shall send to the  
25 lieutenant governor, the speaker of the house, and each member of  
26 the legislature[~~, and the joint committee~~] a report of the  
27 information received under this subchapter for the fiscal year

1 ending August 31 of that year.

2 SECTION 41. Subsection (d), Section 2054.1015, Government  
3 Code, is amended to read as follows:

4 (d) A state agency shall notify the department and~~[7]~~ the  
5 Legislative Budget Board~~[7, and the state auditor's office]~~ if the  
6 agency makes a substantive change to a planned procurement schedule  
7 for commodity items.

8 SECTION 42. Section 2102.0091, Government Code, is amended  
9 by amending Subsections (a) and (c) and adding Subsection (d) to  
10 read as follows:

11 (a) A state agency shall file with the Sunset Advisory  
12 Commission, the Governor's Office of Budget, Planning, and Policy  
13 ~~[budget division of the governor's office]~~, the state auditor, and  
14 the Legislative Budget Board a copy of each report submitted to the  
15 state agency's governing board or the administrator of the state  
16 agency if the state agency does not have a governing board by the  
17 agency's internal auditor.

18 (c) In addition to the requirements of Subsection (a), a  
19 state agency shall file with the Governor's Office of Budget,  
20 Planning, and Policy ~~[budget division of the governor's office]~~,  
21 the state auditor, and the Legislative Budget Board any action plan  
22 or other response issued by the state agency's governing board or  
23 the administrator of the state agency if the state agency does not  
24 have a governing board in response to the report of the state  
25 agency's internal auditor.

26 (d) If the state agency does not file the report as required  
27 by this section, the Legislative Budget Board or the Governor's

1 Office of Budget, Planning, and Policy may take appropriate action  
2 to compel the filing of the report.

3 SECTION 43. Section 2165.055, Government Code, is amended  
4 to read as follows:

5 Sec. 2165.055. REPORT ABOUT IMPROVEMENTS AND REPAIRS. Not  
6 later than December 1 of each even-numbered year, the [The]  
7 commission [biennially on December 1st] shall report to the  
8 governor:

9 (1) all improvements and repairs that have been made,  
10 with an itemized account of receipts and expenditures; and

11 (2) the condition of all property under its control,  
12 with an estimate of needed improvements and repairs.

13 SECTION 44. Subsections (f) and (h), Section 2165.1061,  
14 Government Code, are amended to read as follows:

15 (f) The commission shall conduct a study of the commission's  
16 efforts to colocate administrative office space at least once each  
17 fiscal biennium and shall include the findings of the study in the  
18 commission's master facilities plan required under Section  
19 2166.102 [report the findings to the Governor's Office of Budget  
20 and Planning, the Legislative Budget Board, and the comptroller not  
21 later than July 1 of each even-numbered year].

22 (h) In addition to the requirements of Subsection (f), not  
23 later than July 1 of each even-numbered year, the commission shall  
24 complete a study on the amount of each state agency's  
25 administrative office space in Travis County to identify locations  
26 that exceed the space limitations prescribed by Section 2165.104(c)  
27 and include the findings of the study in the commission's master

1 facilities plan required under Section 2166.102 [~~report the~~  
2 ~~findings to the Governor's Office of Budget and Planning, the~~  
3 ~~Legislative Budget Board, and the comptroller~~]. The findings  
4 [~~report~~] shall include:

5 (1) the location of office space that exceeds the  
6 space limitations prescribed by Section 2165.104(c);

7 (2) the amount of excess space;

8 (3) the cost of the excess space;

9 (4) the expiration dates of any leases covering the  
10 excess space;

11 (5) the amount of exempt and nonexempt space under  
12 Section 2165.104(c); and

13 (6) recommendations for the most cost-effective  
14 method by which a state agency could comply with the requirements of  
15 Section 2165.104(c), including recommendations that identify the  
16 amount and cost of office space that could be reduced or eliminated,  
17 state the moving costs and expenses associated with reductions in  
18 space, and state the earliest date by which the space reductions  
19 could be feasibly achieved.

20 SECTION 45. Subsections (d) and (e), Section 2166.101,  
21 Government Code, are amended to read as follows:

22 (d) The commission shall summarize its findings on the  
23 status of state-owned buildings and current information on  
24 construction costs and include the summary in the commission's  
25 master facilities plan required under Section 2166.102 [~~in a report~~  
26 ~~it shall make available to the governor, the legislature, and the~~  
27 ~~state's budget offices~~].

1 (e) State agencies, departments, and institutions shall  
2 cooperate with the commission in providing any ~~[the]~~ information  
3 needed by the commission to comply with this section ~~[necessary for~~  
4 ~~the report]~~.

5 SECTION 46. The heading to Section 2166.103, Government  
6 Code, is amended to read as follows:

7 Sec. 2166.103. FINDINGS ON ~~[BIENNIAL REPORT ON]~~ SPACE  
8 NEEDS.

9 SECTION 47. Subsection (b), Section 2166.103, Government  
10 Code, is amended to read as follows:

11 (b) The ~~[Before each legislative session, the]~~ commission  
12 shall identify ~~[send to the governor, the lieutenant governor, the~~  
13 ~~speaker of the house of representatives, and the Legislative Budget~~  
14 ~~Board a report identifying]~~ counties in which more than 50,000  
15 square feet of usable office space is needed and make ~~[the~~  
16 ~~commission's]~~ recommendations for meeting that need. The  
17 commission may recommend leasing or purchasing and renovating one  
18 or more existing buildings or constructing one or more buildings.  
19 The commission shall include the commission's findings and  
20 recommendations in the commission's master facilities plan  
21 required under Section 2166.102.

22 SECTION 48. The heading to Section 2166.104, Government  
23 Code, is amended to read as follows:

24 Sec. 2166.104. SUMMARY OF ~~[BIENNIAL REPORT ON]~~ REQUESTED  
25 PROJECTS.

26 SECTION 49. Subsections (a), (b), and (d), Section  
27 2166.104, Government Code, are amended to read as follows:



1           (a) ~~The [On or before a date specified by the state's budget~~  
2 ~~agencies in each year immediately preceding a regular session of~~  
3 ~~the legislature, the]~~ commission shall compile a list of and  
4 summarize ~~[send to the budget agencies a report listing]~~ all  
5 projects requested under Subchapter D. The commission shall  
6 include the summary in the commission's master facilities plan  
7 required under Section 2166.102.

8           (b) The summary ~~[report]~~ must include ~~[contain]~~:

9           (1) a brief and specific justification prepared by the  
10 using agency for each project;

11           (2) a summary of the project analysis or, if the  
12 analysis was not made, a statement briefly describing the method  
13 used to estimate costs for the project;

14           (3) a project cost estimate developed in accordance  
15 with Subchapter D, detailed enough to allow the budget agencies,  
16 the governor, and the legislature the widest possible latitude in  
17 developing policy regarding each project request;

18           (4) an estimate, prepared by the commission with the  
19 cooperation of both the using agency and any private design  
20 professional retained, of the annual cost of maintaining the  
21 completed project, including the estimated cost of utility  
22 services; and

23           (5) an estimate, prepared by the using agency, of the  
24 annual cost of staffing and operating the completed project,  
25 excluding maintenance cost.

26           (d) If a using agency requests three or more projects, it  
27 shall designate its priority rating for each project. The budget

1 agencies shall, with the commission's cooperation, develop  
2 detailed instructions to implement the priority system required by  
3 this subsection. The commission's summary [~~report~~] must show the  
4 designated priority of each project to which a priority rating has  
5 been assigned.

6 SECTION 50. Subchapter I, Chapter 2166, Government Code, is  
7 amended by adding Section 2166.409 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 2166.409. STATE AGENCY ENERGY SAVINGS PROGRAM.

9 (a) Each state agency shall develop a plan for conserving energy  
10 that includes a percentage goal for reducing the agency's use of  
11 electricity, gasoline, and natural gas.

12 (b) Each state agency shall file a quarterly report with the  
13 governor and the Legislative Budget Board listing the goals  
14 identified in the agency's energy conservation plan and a  
15 description of the progress made by the agency in meeting those  
16 goals. The report must include ideas for additional energy savings  
17 developed by the agency.

18 (c) Each state agency shall make the report required under  
19 Subsection (b) available to the public by posting the report in a  
20 conspicuous place on the agency's Internet website.

21 SECTION 51. Subsection (c), Section 2205.039, Government  
22 Code, is amended to read as follows:

23 (c) A state agency other than the Texas Department of  
24 Transportation [~~board~~] shall send the agency's travel logs to the  
25 department on an annual basis. An agency is not required to file a  
26 travel log with the department if the agency did not operate an  
27 aircraft during the period covered by the travel log [~~board each~~

1 ~~month in which the agency operates an aircraft~~].

2 SECTION 52. Subsection (b), Section 2262.052, Government  
3 Code, as amended by Chapters 309 (H.B. 3042) and 785 (S.B. 19), Acts  
4 of the 78th Legislature, Regular Session, 2003, is reenacted to  
5 read as follows:

6 (b) Subject to the legislative audit committee's approval  
7 of including the work described by this subsection in the audit plan  
8 under Section 321.013(c), the state auditor may:

9 (1) periodically monitor compliance with this  
10 section;

11 (2) report any noncompliance to:

12 (A) the governor;

13 (B) the lieutenant governor;

14 (C) the speaker of the house of representatives;

15 and

16 (D) the team; and

17 (3) assist, in coordination with the attorney general  
18 and the comptroller, a noncomplying state agency to comply with  
19 this section.

20 SECTION 53. Subsection (c), Section 2306.0721, Government  
21 Code, is amended to read as follows:

22 (c) The plan must include:

23 (1) an estimate and analysis of the housing needs of  
24 the following populations in each uniform state service region:

25 (A) individuals and families of moderate, low,  
26 very low, and extremely low income;

27 (B) individuals with special needs; and

- 1                   (C) homeless individuals;
- 2                   (2) a proposal to use all available housing resources  
3 to address the housing needs of the populations described by  
4 Subdivision (1) by establishing funding levels for all  
5 housing-related programs;
- 6                   (3) an estimate of the number of federally assisted  
7 housing units available for individuals and families of low and  
8 very low income and individuals with special needs in each uniform  
9 state service region;
- 10                  (4) a description of state programs that govern the  
11 use of all available housing resources;
- 12                  (5) a resource allocation plan that targets all  
13 available housing resources to individuals and families of low and  
14 very low income and individuals with special needs in each uniform  
15 state service region;
- 16                  (6) a description of the department's efforts to  
17 monitor and analyze the unused or underused federal resources of  
18 other state agencies for housing-related services and services for  
19 homeless individuals and the department's recommendations to  
20 ensure the full use by the state of all available federal resources  
21 for those services in each uniform state service region;
- 22                  (7) strategies to provide housing for individuals and  
23 families with special needs in each uniform state service region;
- 24                  (8) a description of the department's efforts to  
25 encourage in each uniform state service region the construction of  
26 housing units that incorporate energy efficient construction and  
27 appliances;

1           (9) an estimate and analysis of the housing supply in  
2 each uniform state service region;

3           (10) an inventory of all publicly and, where possible,  
4 privately funded housing resources, including public housing  
5 authorities, housing finance corporations, community housing  
6 development organizations, and community action agencies;

7           (11) strategies for meeting rural housing needs;

8           (12) a biennial action plan for colonias that:

9                 (A) addresses current policy goals for colonia  
10 programs, strategies to meet the policy goals, and the projected  
11 outcomes with respect to the policy goals; and

12                 (B) includes information on the demand for  
13 contract-for-deed conversions, services from self-help centers,  
14 consumer education, and other colonia resident services in counties  
15 some part of which is within 150 miles of the international border  
16 of this state; and

17           (13) a summary of public comments received at a  
18 hearing under this chapter or from another source that concern the  
19 demand for colonia resident services described by Subdivision  
20 (12) [~~and~~

21                 ~~[(14) any other housing-related information that the~~  
22 ~~state is required to include in the one-year action plan of the~~  
23 ~~consolidated plan submitted annually to the United States~~  
24 ~~Department of Housing and Urban Development].~~

25           SECTION 54. Subsection (a), Section 2306.559, Government  
26 Code, is amended to read as follows:

27           (a) The corporation shall file an annual report of the

1 financial activity of the corporation with the department. The  
2 corporation's board of directors shall submit the report to the  
3 governor, lieutenant governor, speaker of the house of  
4 representatives, and comptroller [~~, and Legislative Budget Board~~].

5 SECTION 55. Subsection (a), Section 2306.560, Government  
6 Code, is amended to read as follows:

7 (a) The corporation shall hire an independent certified  
8 public accountant to audit the corporation's books and accounts for  
9 each fiscal year. The corporation shall file a copy of the audit  
10 with the department and shall submit the audit report to the  
11 governor, lieutenant governor, speaker of the house of  
12 representatives, comptroller, Bond Review Board, and State  
13 Auditor's Office [~~, and Legislative Budget Board~~] not later than the  
14 30th day after the submission date established in the General  
15 Appropriations Act for the annual financial report.

16 SECTION 56. Section 103.013, Health and Safety Code, is  
17 amended by adding Subsection (g) to read as follows:

18 (g) The report required under Subsection (f) may be  
19 published electronically on a state agency's Internet website. A  
20 state agency that electronically publishes a report under this  
21 subsection shall notify each agency entitled to receive a copy of  
22 the report that the report is available on the agency's Internet  
23 website on or before the date the report is due.

24 SECTION 57. Subsection (b), Section 161.0211, Health and  
25 Safety Code, is amended to read as follows:

26 (b) The department may conduct those investigations to  
27 determine the nature and extent of the disease or environmental

1 exposure believed to be harmful to the public health. Any findings  
2 or determinations from such investigations that relate to  
3 environmental exposures believed to be harmful to the public shall  
4 be reported in writing to the Texas [~~Natural Resource Conservation~~  
5 Commission on Environmental Quality], and the two agencies shall  
6 coordinate corrective measures as appropriate. The department  
7 shall use generally accepted methods of epidemiology or toxicology  
8 in the conduct of an investigation.

9 SECTION 58. Section 534.068, Health and Safety Code, is  
10 amended by adding Subsections (a-1) and (g) to read as follows:

11 (a-1) The audit required under Subsection (a) may be  
12 published electronically on an authority's Internet website. An  
13 authority that electronically publishes an audit under this  
14 subsection shall notify the department that the audit is available  
15 on the authority's Internet website on or before the date the audit  
16 is due.

17 (g) The report required under Subsection (f) may be  
18 published electronically on the department's Internet website. The  
19 department shall notify each entity entitled to receive a copy of  
20 the report that the report is available on the department's  
21 Internet website on or before the date the report is due.

22 SECTION 59. Subsection (b), Section 22.0251, Human  
23 Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

24 (b) The department shall submit to the governor and~~[7]~~ the  
25 Legislative Budget Board~~[7, and the Health and Human Services~~  
26 ~~Commission]~~ a semiannual report detailing the department's  
27 progress in reaching its goals under Subsection (a)(2). The report

1 may be consolidated with any other report relating to the same  
2 subject that the department is required to submit under other law.

3 SECTION 60. Subsection (b), Section 22.0252, Human  
4 Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

5 (b) The department shall submit to the governor and~~[,]~~ the  
6 Legislative Budget Board an annual~~[, and the Health and Human  
7 Services Commission a semiannual]~~ report on the operation and  
8 success of the telephone collection program. The report may be  
9 consolidated with any other report relating to the same subject  
10 that the department is required to submit under other law.

11 SECTION 61. Subsection (d), Section 22.0292, Human  
12 Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

13 (d) The department shall submit to the governor and~~[,]~~ the  
14 Legislative Budget Board an annual~~[, and the Health and Human  
15 Services Commission a semiannual]~~ report on the operation and  
16 success of the information matching system required by this  
17 section. The report may be consolidated with any other report  
18 relating to the same subject matter the department is required to  
19 submit under other law.

20 SECTION 62. Section 51.006, Human Resources Code, is  
21 amended to read as follows:

22 Sec. 51.006. REPORT. (a) Not later than November 1 of each  
23 even-numbered year, the department shall publish a report that  
24 summarizes reports from family violence centers under contract with  
25 the department and that analyzes the effectiveness of the contracts  
26 authorized by this chapter. The reports must include information  
27 on the expenditure of funds authorized under this chapter, the



1 services provided, the number of persons for whom a service was  
2 provided, and any other information relating to the provision of  
3 family violence services. The report may be combined with the  
4 report required by Section 21.011. Copies of the report shall be  
5 submitted to the governor, the lieutenant governor, the speaker of  
6 the house of representatives, the Legislative Budget Board, and the  
7 standing committees of the senate and house of representatives  
8 having primary jurisdiction over the department.

9 (b) The report required under Subsection (a) may be  
10 published electronically on the department's Internet website. The  
11 department shall notify each agency entitled to receive a copy of  
12 the report that the report is available on the department's  
13 Internet website on or before the date the report is due.

14 SECTION 63. Subsection (a), Section 114.008, Human  
15 Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

16 (a) The agencies represented on the council and the public  
17 members shall report to the council any requirements identified by  
18 the agency or person to provide additional or improved services to  
19 persons with autism or other pervasive developmental disorders.  
20 Not later than November 1 of each even-numbered year, the council  
21 shall prepare and deliver to the executive commissioner of the  
22 Health and Human Services Commission, the governor, the lieutenant  
23 governor, and the speaker of the house of representatives a report  
24 summarizing the recommendations.

25 SECTION 64. Section 122.022, Human Resources Code, is  
26 amended to read as follows:

27 Sec. 122.022. REPORTS. (a) On or before November 1 of each

1 year, the council shall file with the governor and the presiding  
2 officer of each house of the legislature a copy of the annual  
3 financial report prepared by the council under Section 2101.011,  
4 Government Code [~~complete and detailed written report accounting~~  
5 ~~for all funds received and disbursed by the council during the~~  
6 ~~preceding year. The annual report must meet the reporting~~  
7 ~~requirements applicable to financial reporting provided in the~~  
8 ~~General Appropriations Act~~].

9 (b) As part of the report filed under Subsection (a), the  
10 council shall provide [~~The report submitted under this section must~~  
11 ~~include~~]:

12 (1) the number of persons with disabilities, according  
13 to their type of disability, who are employed in community  
14 rehabilitation programs participating in the programs established  
15 by this chapter or who are employed by businesses or workshops that  
16 receive supportive employment from community rehabilitation  
17 programs;

18 (2) the amount of annual wages paid to a person  
19 participating in the program;

20 (3) a summary of the sale of products offered by a  
21 community rehabilitation program;

22 (4) a list of products and services offered by a  
23 community rehabilitation program;

24 (5) the geographic distribution of the community  
25 rehabilitation programs;

26 (6) the number of nondisabled workers who are employed  
27 in community rehabilitation programs under this chapter; and

1           (7) the average and range of weekly earnings for  
2 disabled and nondisabled workers who are employed in community  
3 rehabilitation programs under this chapter.

4           SECTION 65. Subsection (g), Section 134.0041, Human  
5 Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

6           (g) A state agency or medical school affected by the plan  
7 shall use the plan as the basis for its request for appropriations  
8 during the next biennium unless the agency or school disagrees with  
9 the plan. If the agency or school disagrees with the plan or  
10 intends to deviate from the plan in its budget request, the agency  
11 or school shall submit to the council[~~, Legislative Budget Board,~~]  
12 and the Governor's Office of Budget, Planning, and Policy  
13 [~~governor's budget office~~] a written explanation of each  
14 disagreement or deviation and the reason for the disagreement or  
15 deviation. The state agency or medical school must submit the  
16 written explanation not later than November 1 of the year in which  
17 the plan is prepared.

18           SECTION 66. Subsection (a), Section 32.021, Insurance Code,  
19 is amended to read as follows:

20           (a) The department shall file annually with the governor and  
21 the presiding officer of each house of the legislature a complete  
22 and detailed written report that includes:

23           (1) [~~an accounting of all funds received and disbursed~~  
24 ~~by the department during the preceding fiscal year,~~

25           [~~(2)~~] a description of the commissioner's official  
26 acts;

27           (2) [~~(3)~~] a description of the condition of companies

1 doing business in this state; and

2           (3) [~~(4)~~] other information that exhibits the affairs  
3 of the department.

4           SECTION 67. Subsection (d), Section 21.003, Labor Code, is  
5 amended to read as follows:

6           (d) The commission at least annually shall make a  
7 comprehensive written report on the commission's activities to the  
8 governor and to the legislature.

9           SECTION 68. The heading to Section 21.553, Labor Code, is  
10 amended to read as follows:

11           Sec. 21.553. COOPERATION WITH COMPTROLLER AND UNIFORM  
12 STATEWIDE ACCOUNTING SYSTEM; REPORT [~~TO LEGISLATURE~~].

13           SECTION 69. Subsection (b), Section 21.553, Labor Code, is  
14 amended to read as follows:

15           (b) The commission shall conduct an analysis of the  
16 information reported to the commission under this subchapter and  
17 report the results of that analysis to the legislature, the  
18 Legislative Budget Board, and the governor not later than January 1  
19 of each odd-numbered year [~~the fifth day of each regular session of~~  
20 ~~the legislature~~]. The report required under this subsection must  
21 be written in plain language.

22           SECTION 70. Subsection (b), Section 506.002, Labor Code, is  
23 amended to read as follows:

24           (b) The workers' compensation division of the office of the  
25 attorney general shall send to the comptroller [~~and the state~~  
26 ~~auditor~~] a copy of each statement of amounts due from an agency or  
27 other instrumentality of state government that, with funds that are

1 held outside the state treasury, reimburses the general revenue  
2 fund for workers' compensation payments made out of the general  
3 revenue fund.

4 SECTION 71. The heading to Section 91.1135, Natural  
5 Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

6 Sec. 91.1135. OIL AND GAS REGULATION AND [~~OIL-FIELD~~]  
7 CLEANUP FUND ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

8 SECTION 72. Subsections (a), (d), (e), (f), and (g),  
9 Section 91.1135, Natural Resources Code, are amended to read as  
10 follows:

11 (a) In this section, "committee" means the Oil and Gas  
12 Regulation and [~~Oil-Field~~] Cleanup Fund Advisory Committee.

13 (d) The committee shall:

14 (1) meet at least quarterly with the commission;

15 (2) receive information about rules proposed by the  
16 commission relating to the oil and gas regulation and [~~oil-field~~]  
17 cleanup fund;

18 (3) review recommendations for legislation proposed  
19 by the commission; and

20 (4) monitor the effectiveness of the oil and gas  
21 regulation and [~~oil-field~~] cleanup fund.

22 (e) The commission shall provide quarterly reports to the  
23 committee and the Legislative Budget Board that include:

24 (1) the following information with respect to the  
25 period since the last report was provided as well as cumulatively:

26 (A) the amount of money deposited in the oil and  
27 gas regulation and [~~oil-field~~] cleanup fund;

- 1 (B) the amount of money spent from the fund;
- 2 (C) the balance of the fund;
- 3 (D) the number of wells plugged with money from  
4 the fund;
- 5 (E) the number of sites remediated with money  
6 from the fund; and
- 7 (F) the number of wells abandoned; and
- 8 (2) any additional information or data requested in  
9 writing by the committee.
- 10 (f) The committee may:
- 11 (1) submit to the commission comments of the committee  
12 regarding proposed rules relating to the oil and gas regulation and  
13 [~~oil-field~~] cleanup fund; and
- 14 (2) request reports and other information from the  
15 commission as necessary to implement this section.
- 16 (g) Not later than November 15 of each even-numbered year,  
17 the committee shall report to the governor, lieutenant governor,  
18 and speaker of the house of representatives on the committee's  
19 activities. The report must include:
- 20 (1) an analysis of any problems with the  
21 administration of the oil and gas regulation and [~~oil-field~~]  
22 cleanup fund; and
- 23 (2) recommendations for any legislation needed to  
24 address any problems identified with the administration of the fund  
25 or otherwise needed to further the purposes of the fund.
- 26 SECTION 73. Section 141.079, Natural Resources Code, is  
27 amended to read as follows:

1           Sec. 141.079. REPORT TO LEGISLATURE. Not later than  
2 January 1 of each odd-numbered year [~~During the first 30 days of~~  
3 ~~each regular session of the legislature~~], the commissioner shall  
4 report to the legislature on the status of the exploration,  
5 development, and production of geothermal energy and associated  
6 resources under the land governed by this subchapter.

7           SECTION 74. Section 161.2111, Natural Resources Code, is  
8 amended to read as follows:

9           Sec. 161.2111. REPORT TO BOND REVIEW BOARD. With respect to  
10 purchases made under this chapter, the Veterans' Land Board shall  
11 file annually [~~semiannually~~] with the Bond Review Board a report on  
12 the performance of loans made by the Veterans' Land Board in  
13 connection with the purchases. The Bond Review Board shall review  
14 the reports filed by the Veterans' Land Board under this section to  
15 assess the performance of loans made under this chapter. The filing  
16 dates and the contents of the reports must comply with any rules  
17 adopted by the Bond Review Board.

18           SECTION 75. Subsection (e), Section 162.003, Natural  
19 Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

20           (e) With respect to loans made under the program, the  
21 Veterans' Land Board shall file annually [~~semiannually~~] with the  
22 Bond Review Board a report on the performance of the loans. The  
23 Bond Review Board shall review the reports filed by the Veterans'  
24 Land Board under this subsection to assess the performance of loans  
25 made under the program. The filing dates and the contents of the  
26 reports must comply with any rules adopted by the Bond Review Board.

27           SECTION 76. Section 651.162, Occupations Code, is amended

1 to read as follows:

2 Sec. 651.162. BIENNIAL REPORT [~~ANNUAL REPORTS~~].

3 [~~(b)~~] The commission shall file biennially [~~annually~~] with  
4 the governor a written description of the activities of the  
5 commission during the two preceding fiscal years [~~year~~].

6 SECTION 77. Subsection (c), Section 228.012,  
7 Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

8 (c) Not later than January 1 of each odd-numbered year, the  
9 department shall submit to the Legislative Budget Board and the  
10 Governor's Office of Budget, Planning, and Policy [~~, in the format~~  
11 ~~prescribed by the Legislative Budget Board,~~] a report on cash  
12 balances in the subaccounts created under this section and  
13 expenditures made with money in those subaccounts. The report must  
14 be in the form prescribed by the Legislative Budget Board.

15 SECTION 78. Subsection (a), Section 456.008,  
16 Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

17 (a) Not later than January 1 of each year, the [~~The~~]  
18 commission by rule shall prepare and issue to the legislature a  
19 report on [~~the performance of~~] public transportation providers in  
20 this state that received state or federal funding during the  
21 previous 12-month period. A [~~The commission shall issue a~~] report  
22 under this section must:

23 (1) detail the performance of the transportation  
24 providers during the preceding state fiscal year; and

25 (2) include, as to each transportation provider,  
26 monthly data on industry-utilized standards that best reflect  
27 ridership, mileage, revenue by source, and service effectiveness



1 ~~[at least once each state fiscal year]~~.

2 SECTION 79. Section 12.203, Utilities Code, is amended to  
3 read as follows:

4 Sec. 12.203. BIENNIAL ~~[ANNUAL]~~ REPORT. Not later than  
5 January 15 of each odd-numbered ~~[(a) The commission shall prepare~~  
6 ~~annually a complete and detailed written report accounting for all~~  
7 ~~funds received and disbursed by the commission during the preceding~~  
8 ~~fiscal year. The annual report must meet the reporting~~  
9 ~~requirements applicable to financial reporting in the General~~  
10 ~~Appropriations Act.~~

11 ~~[(b) In the annual report issued in the]~~ year ~~[preceding the~~  
12 ~~convening of each regular session of the legislature]~~, the  
13 commission shall prepare a written report that includes ~~[make]~~  
14 suggestions regarding modification and improvement of the  
15 commission's statutory authority and for the improvement of utility  
16 regulation in general that the commission considers appropriate for  
17 protecting and furthering the interest of the public.

18 SECTION 80. Subsection (c), Section 1, Chapter 413 (H.B.  
19 1966), Acts of the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009, is  
20 amended to read as follows:

21 (c) Not later than December 1 of each year ~~[, 2009]~~, the  
22 Health and Human Services Commission shall submit an annual  
23 ~~[initial]~~ report to the governor and the Legislative Budget Board  
24 regarding ~~[detailing]~~ the e-prescribing implementation plan  
25 developed under this section. The report must include the  
26 projected expenditures and cost savings anticipated for the plan  
27 during the state fiscal year and the total expenditures associated

1 with and cost savings realized from the plan to date. This  
2 subsection expires January 1, 2015.

3 SECTION 81. Section 34, Chapter 1409 (H.B. 4586), Acts of  
4 the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009, is amended by adding  
5 Subsection (d) to read as follows:

6 (d) After an agency or institution that receives money  
7 available under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act has  
8 spent all the money received under that Act and completed all  
9 projects related to that Act, the agency or institution is no longer  
10 required to submit reports related to the agency's receipt of that  
11 money to the Legislative Budget Board.

12 SECTION 82. The following provisions are repealed:

- 13 (1) Subsection (e), Section 22.004, Education Code;  
14 (2) Subsections (b) and (c), Section 54.777, Education  
15 Code;  
16 (3) Subsection (d), Section 61.0761, Education Code;  
17 (4) Subsection (d), Section 74.004, Education Code;  
18 (5) Section 152.005, Education Code;  
19 (6) Section 152.006, Education Code;  
20 (7) Section 59.012, Family Code;  
21 (8) Subsection (d), Section 21.007, Government Code;  
22 (9) Subsection (e), Section 21.008, Government Code;  
23 (10) Subsection (c), Section 411.0097, Government  
24 Code, as added by Chapter 556 (H.B. 1239), Acts of the 79th  
25 Legislature, Regular Session, 2005;  
26 (11) Section 499.028, Government Code;  
27 (12) Section 825.510, Government Code;

- 1           (13) Section 825.518, Government Code;
- 2           (14) Subsections (d) and (e), Section 2161.121,  
3 Government Code;
- 4           (15) Subsection (e), Section 2165.2035, Government  
5 Code;
- 6           (16) Subsection (d), Section 2306.560, Government  
7 Code;
- 8           (17) Subsection (f), Section 101.0061, Human  
9 Resources Code;
- 10          (18) Subsection (b), Section 221.012, Human Resources  
11 Code;
- 12          (19) Subsection (c), Section 1575.170, Insurance  
13 Code;
- 14          (20) Subsection (b), Section 205.019, Labor Code;
- 15          (21) Subsection (b), Section 6.156, Water Code;
- 16          (22) Section 26.051, Water Code;
- 17          (23) Section 26.561, Water Code;
- 18          (24) Subsection (g), Section 21A, Texas Local Fire  
19 Fighters Retirement Act (Article 6243e, Vernon's Texas Civil  
20 Statutes);
- 21          (25) Subsection (d), Section 1, Chapter 413 (H.B.  
22 1966), Acts of the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009; and
- 23          (26) Section 46, Chapter 1130 (H.B. 2086), Acts of the  
24 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009.

25           SECTION 83. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.