

AN ACT

relating to the display of notice of federal and state tax rates for motor fuel sold at retail.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 17, Agriculture Code, is amended by adding Section 17.0515 to read as follows:

Sec. 17.0515. NOTICE OF MOTOR FUEL TAX RATES. (a) The department shall display on each motor fuel pump from which motor fuel is sold at retail a notice of the current rates of the federal and state motor fuel taxes. The notice must:

(1) display the current rate of each tax, in cents per gallon, for each type of motor fuel;

(2) be displayed on each face of the motor fuel pump on which the price of the motor fuel sold from the pump is displayed; and

(3) be displayed in a clear, conspicuous, and prominent manner.

(b) The department shall include the notice required under Subsection (a) with any other notice displayed or required by department rule to be displayed, including a "Fuel Feedback?" sticker.

SECTION 2. The Department of Agriculture is not required to display a notice on a motor fuel pump under Section 17.0515, Agriculture Code, as added by this Act, until the later of the date:

1 (1) the department is at the pump's location for an
2 inspection or other official business; or

3 (2) the department's inventory of "Fuel Feedback?"
4 stickers on hand on the effective date of this Act is used and the
5 department acquires new stickers.

6 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect January 1, 2016.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 991 was passed by the House on May 8, 2015, by the following vote: Yeas 136, Nays 2, 2 present, not voting; that the House refused to concur in Senate amendments to H.B. No. 991 on May 29, 2015, and requested the appointment of a conference committee to consider the differences between the two houses; and that the House adopted the conference committee report on H.B. No. 991 on May 31, 2015, by the following vote: Yeas 143, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

H.B. No. 991

I certify that H.B. No. 991 was passed by the Senate, with amendments, on May 27, 2015, by the following vote: Yeas 23, Nays 8; at the request of the House, the Senate appointed a conference committee to consider the differences between the two houses; and that the Senate adopted the conference committee report on H.B. No. 991 on May 31, 2015, by the following vote: Yeas 29, Nays 1, 1 present, not voting.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor