

1-1 By: Springer, Frank (Senate Sponsor - Perry) H.B. No. 2788  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 4, 2015;  
 1-3 May 5, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on  
 1-4 Agriculture, Water, and Rural Affairs; May 12, 2015, reported  
 1-5 favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 12, 2015, sent  
 1-6 to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	X			
1-9	X			
1-10	X			
1-11	X			
1-12	X			
1-13			X	
1-14	X			
1-15	X			

1-16 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-17 AN ACT

1-18 relating to the authority of a retail public water utility to  
 1-19 require an operator of a correctional facility to comply with water  
 1-20 conservation measures.

1-21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. Subchapter E, Chapter 13, Water Code, is amended  
 1-23 by adding Section 13.1461 to read as follows:

1-24 Sec. 13.1461. CORRECTIONAL FACILITY COMPLIANCE WITH  
 1-25 CONSERVATION MEASURES. A retail public utility may require the  
 1-26 operator of a correctional facility, as defined by Section  
 1-27 1.07(14), Penal Code, that receives retail water or sewer utility  
 1-28 service from the retail public utility to comply with water  
 1-29 conservation measures adopted or implemented by the retail public  
 1-30 utility.

1-31 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
 1-32 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
 1-33 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
 1-34 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
 1-35 Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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