

AN ACT

relating to governmental entities subject to the sunset review process.

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

ARTICLE 1. ENTITIES GIVEN 2021 SUNSET DATE

SECTION 1.01. TEXAS FACILITIES COMMISSION. Section 2152.002, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2152.002. SUNSET PROVISION. The Texas Facilities Commission is subject to Chapter 325 (Texas Sunset Act). Unless continued in existence as provided by that chapter, the commission is abolished and this subtitle, except for Chapter 2170 and Section 2157.121, expires September 1, 2021 [~~2015~~].

SECTION 1.02. TEXAS JUVENILE JUSTICE BOARD AND TEXAS JUVENILE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT. Section 202.010, Human Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 202.010. SUNSET PROVISION. The Texas Juvenile Justice Board and the Texas Juvenile Justice Department are subject to Chapter 325, Government Code (Texas Sunset Act). Unless continued in existence as provided by that chapter, the board and the department are abolished September 1, 2021 [~~2017~~].

SECTION 1.03. INTERMUNICIPAL COMMUTER RAIL DISTRICTS. Section 173.005, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 173.005. SUNSET PROVISION. A district is subject

1 ~~[every 12th year]~~ to review under Chapter 325, Government Code
2 (Texas Sunset Act). A district shall be reviewed during the periods
3 in which state agencies abolished in 2021 and every 12th year after
4 that year are reviewed.

5 ARTICLE 2. ENTITIES GIVEN 2023 SUNSET DATE

6 SECTION 2.01. EXPANDED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES COUNCIL.

7 Section 33.254, Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

8 Sec. 33.254. SUNSET PROVISION. The council is subject to
9 Chapter 325, Government Code (Texas Sunset Act). Unless continued
10 in existence as provided by that chapter, the council is abolished
11 and this subchapter expires September 1, 2023 [~~2017~~].

12 SECTION 2.02. STATE COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT.

13 Section 33.003, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

14 Sec. 33.003. SUNSET PROVISION. The State Commission on
15 Judicial Conduct is subject to review under Chapter 325 (Texas
16 Sunset Act), but is not abolished under that chapter. The
17 commission shall be reviewed during the period in which state
18 agencies abolished in 2023 [~~2019~~] and every 12th year after 2023
19 [~~2019~~] are reviewed.

20 SECTION 2.03. JUDICIAL BRANCH CERTIFICATION COMMISSION.

21 Section 152.001, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

22 Sec. 152.001. SUNSET PROVISION. The Judicial Branch
23 Certification Commission is subject to Chapter 325 (Texas Sunset
24 Act), but is not abolished under that chapter. The commission shall
25 be reviewed during the period in which state agencies abolished in
26 2023 [~~2019~~] and every 12th year after 2023 [~~2019~~] are reviewed.

27 SECTION 2.04. TEXAS RACING COMMISSION. Section 18.01(a),

1 Texas Racing Act (Article [179e](#), Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 (a) The Texas Racing Commission is subject to Chapter 325,
4 Government Code (Texas Sunset Act). Unless continued in existence
5 as provided by that chapter, and except as provided by Subsections
6 (b) and (c) of this section, the commission is abolished and this
7 Act expires September 1, 2023 [~~2017~~].

8 ARTICLE 3. ENTITIES GIVEN 2025 SUNSET DATE

9 SECTION 3.01. TEXAS EDUCATION AGENCY. Section [7.004](#),
10 Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

11 Sec. 7.004. SUNSET PROVISION. The Texas Education Agency
12 is subject to Chapter 325, Government Code (Texas Sunset Act).
13 Unless continued in existence as provided by that chapter, the
14 agency is abolished September 1, 2025 [~~2015~~].

15 SECTION 3.02. STATE EMPLOYEE CHARITABLE CAMPAIGN POLICY
16 COMMITTEE. Section [659.140](#)(i), Government Code, is amended to read
17 as follows:

18 (i) The state employee charitable campaign policy committee
19 is subject to the Texas Sunset Act. Unless continued in existence
20 as provided by that chapter, the committee is abolished and
21 Government Code, Chapter 659, Subchapter I, and Sections [814.0095](#)
22 and [814.0096](#) expire on September 1, 2025 [~~2017~~].

23 ARTICLE 4. ENTITIES REMOVED FROM SPECIFIC SUNSET REVIEW

24 SECTION 4.01. SULPHUR RIVER BASIN AUTHORITY. Section 1A,
25 Chapter 3, Acts of the 69th Legislature, 1st Called Session, 1985,
26 is repealed.

27 SECTION 4.02. PORT OF HOUSTON AUTHORITY OF HARRIS COUNTY,

1 TEXAS. Section 5007.203, Special District Local Laws Code, is
2 repealed.

3 SECTION 4.03. CAPITAL METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION
4 AUTHORITY. Section 451.459, Transportation Code, is repealed.

5 ARTICLE 5. EFFECTIVE DATE

6 SECTION 5.01. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act takes effect
7 immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members
8 elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas
9 Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for
10 immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 3123 was passed by the House on May 1, 2015, by the following vote: Yeas 137, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; and that the House concurred in Senate amendments to H.B. No. 3123 on May 31, 2015, by the following vote: Yeas 140, Nays 0, 5 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 3123 was passed by the Senate, with amendments, on May 15, 2015, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor