

By: King of Uvalde

H.B. No. 1582

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the applicability of the requirement that appraisal
3 review board members be appointed by the local administrative
4 district judge.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 6.41(d-1), Tax Code, is amended to read
7 as follows:

8 (d-1) In a county with a population of 350,000 [~~120,000~~] or
9 more the members of the board are appointed by the local
10 administrative district judge under Subchapter D, Chapter 74,
11 Government Code, in the county in which the appraisal district is
12 established. All applications submitted to the appraisal district
13 or to the appraisal review board from persons seeking appointment
14 as a member of the appraisal review board shall be delivered to the
15 local administrative district judge. The appraisal district may
16 provide the local administrative district judge with information
17 regarding whether an applicant for appointment to or a member of the
18 board owes any delinquent ad valorem taxes to a taxing unit
19 participating in the appraisal district.

20 SECTION 2. (a) The changes made to Section 6.41, Tax Code,
21 by this Act apply only to the appointment of appraisal review board
22 members to terms beginning on or after January 1, 2018. This Act
23 does not affect the term of an appraisal review board member serving
24 on December 31, 2017, if the member was appointed before January 1,

1 2018, to a term that began before December 31, 2017, and expires
2 December 31, 2018.

3 (b) The changes in law made by this Act to Sections 6.41(i)
4 and (j), Tax Code, apply only to an offense committed on or after
5 the effective date of this Act. An offense committed before the
6 effective date of this Act is governed by the law in effect on the
7 date the offense was committed, and the former law is continued in
8 effect for that purpose. For purposes of this subsection, an
9 offense was committed before the effective date of this Act if any
10 element of the offense occurred before that date.

11 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.