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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to an exemption for certain small producers from regulations on nursery products and florist items.

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

SECTION 1.  Subchapter B, Chapter 71, Agriculture Code, is amended by adding Section 71.0415 to read as follows:

Sec. 71.0415.  APPLICABILITY. This chapter does not apply to a florist or nursery grower with less than $25,000 in annual receipts from the sale or lease of florist items and nursery products.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2019.