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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to a study of the best practices of river authorities.

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

SECTION 1.  (a) The Texas Water Development Board shall conduct a study of the best practices of river authorities. The study must address at least an authority's:

(1)  pre-release policies;

(2)  gauging; and

(3)  alert systems.

(b)  Not later than December 1, 2020, the Texas Water Development Board shall submit to the governor, the lieutenant governor, and the speaker of the house of representatives a report on the findings of the study.

(c)  This section expires January 1, 2021.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.