

AN ACT

relating to the licensure and registration of persons engaged in certain activities pertaining to compressed natural gas or liquefied natural gas containers and systems.

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

SECTION 1. Section 116.031, Natural Resources Code, is amended by amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (e) to read as follows:

(a) Unless otherwise provided in this chapter or by commission rule, a person shall be required to obtain a license from the commission to engage in any of the following activities:

(1) work that includes the ~~[manufacture]~~ assembly, repair, testing, sale, installation, or subframing of CNG cylinders or LNG containers for use in this state;

(2) systems work that includes the ~~[sale]~~ installation, modification, or servicing of CNG or LNG systems for use in this state, including the installation, modification, or servicing by any person, except a political subdivision, of a CNG or LNG motor fuel system or mobile fuel system on a vehicle used in the transportation of the general public; or

(3) product work that includes the sale, storage, transportation for delivery, or dispensing of CNG or LNG in this state.

(e) The commission shall adopt rules providing for the

1 registration of persons engaged in the manufacture of CNG cylinders
2 or LNG containers for use in this state.

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

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2127 was passed by the House on April 17, 2019, by the following vote: Yeas 135, Nays 4, 2 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2127 was passed by the Senate on May 10, 2019, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor