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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1	AN ACT	

- 2 relating to the adoption of certain plumbing codes by the Texas
- 3 State Board of Plumbing Examiners.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Sections 1301.255(a) and (b), Occupations Code,
- 6 are amended to read as follows:
- 7 (a) The board shall adopt [the following plumbing codes, as
- 8 those codes existed on May 31, 2001:
- 9 [(1) the Uniform Plumbing Code, as published by the
- 10 International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials;
- 11 and
- 12  $\left[\frac{(2)}{2}\right]$  the 2015 edition of the International Plumbing
- 13 Code, as published by the International Code Council.
- (b) The board by rule may adopt a later edition [editions]
- 15 of the plumbing code [codes] listed in Subsection (a).
- SECTION 2. Not later than December 1, 2019, the Texas State
- 17 Board of Plumbing Examiners shall adopt rules to implement Section
- 18 1301.255, Occupations Code, as amended by this Act.
- 19 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.