

1-1 By: Nichols, et al. S.B. No. 1511  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 5, 2019; March 14, 2019, read  
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources &  
1-4 Economic Development; April 8, 2019, reported adversely, with  
1-5 favorable Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 9,  
1-6 Nays 0; April 8, 2019, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-8		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-9	Birdwell	X			
1-10	Zaffirini	X			
1-11	Fallon	X			
1-12	Flores	X			
1-13	Hancock			X	
1-14	Hinojosa	X			
1-15	Hughes			X	
1-16	Miles	X			
1-17	Paxton	X			
1-18	Powell	X			
1-19	Rodríguez	X			

1-20 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 1511 By: Hancock

1-21 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-22 AN ACT

1-23 relating to the operation of the Battleship "Texas."  
1-24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:  
1-25 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to ensure that the  
1-26 Battleship "Texas," a national historic landmark whose engines are  
1-27 national mechanical engineering landmarks and that is the only  
1-28 remaining battleship to have fought in World War I and World War II,  
1-29 is maintained and preserved in satisfactory condition for the  
1-30 benefit of the citizens of this state.  
1-31 SECTION 2. Section 22.261, Parks and Wildlife Code, is  
1-32 amended to read as follows:  
1-33 Sec. 22.261. JURISDICTION. The Battleship "Texas" is under  
1-34 the jurisdiction of the department. The department shall enter  
1-35 into a memorandum of understanding for a term of 99 years with an  
1-36 appropriate nonprofit foundation for the operation and maintenance  
1-37 of the Battleship "Texas."  
1-38 SECTION 3. Subchapter T, Chapter 22, Parks and Wildlife  
1-39 Code, is amended by adding Section 22.262 to read as follows:  
1-40 Sec. 22.262. PRESERVATION STANDARDS. The memorandum of  
1-41 understanding required by Section 22.261 must include provisions:  
1-42 (1) governing the preservation, management, and  
1-43 operation of the Battleship "Texas" consistent with the Standards  
1-44 for Historic Vessel Preservation Projects with Guidelines for  
1-45 Applying the Standards published by the Secretary of the United  
1-46 States Department of the Interior as those standards existed on  
1-47 January 1, 2019;  
1-48 (2) requiring the nonprofit foundation described by  
1-49 Section 22.261 to consult with the state historic preservation  
1-50 officer on matters related to the preservation or repair of the  
1-51 battleship; and  
1-52 (3) regarding the protection of the public's interest  
1-53 in maintaining and preserving a priceless historical asset in a  
1-54 manner that ensures the public has access to the asset and an  
1-55 opportunity to provide comment regarding the preservation of the  
1-56 asset.  
1-57 SECTION 4. The Parks and Wildlife Department shall enter  
1-58 into the memorandum of understanding required by Section 22.261,  
1-59 Parks and Wildlife Code, as amended by this Act, not later than the  
1-60 later of:

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