

1-1 By: Creighton S.B. No. 2322
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 8, 2019; March 21, 2019, read
 1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Water & Rural Affairs;
 1-4 April 11, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 4,
 1-5 Nays 3; April 11, 2019, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-12	X			
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1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-16 AN ACT

1-17 relating to rates established by municipalities for water and sewer
 1-18 services.

1-19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-20 SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 13, Water Code, is amended
 1-21 by adding Section 13.0835 to read as follows:

1-22 Sec. 13.0835. PROHIBITION ON RATE DISCRIMINATION. A
 1-23 municipality or a municipally owned utility may not establish a
 1-24 rate applicable only to entities that qualify for a sales tax or ad
 1-25 valorem tax exemption that is higher than a rate established for
 1-26 entities that receive comparable utility services.

1-27 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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