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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the preservation and maintenance of the Alamo by the General Land Office.

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

SECTION 1.  Subchapter C, Chapter 31, Natural Resources Code, is amended by adding Section 31.0515 to read as follows:

Sec. 31.0515.  DUTIES RELATED TO THE ALAMO COMPLEX. The land office shall:

(1)  employ staff necessary to preserve and maintain the Alamo complex and contract for professional services of qualified consultants; and

(2)  prepare an annual budget and work plan, including preservation, future construction, and usual maintenance for the Alamo complex, including buildings on the Alamo property, their contents, and their grounds.

(3)  ensure the Alamo and Alamo complex, including present and future museums, focus on the 1836 Battle telling the history of why Texians and Tejanos fought in the Battle of the Alamo solely as described in the Texas Declaration of Independence dated March 2, 1836.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2021