By:  Harris of Anderson (Senate Sponsor - Springer) H.B. No. 2388

(In the Senate - Received from the House April 17, 2023; May 2, 2023, read first time and referred to Committee on Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs; May 4, 2023, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 4, 2023, sent to printer.)

COMMITTEE VOTE

               Yea Nay Absent  PNV

Perry           X

Hancock         X

Blanco          X

Flores          X

Gutierrez       X

Johnson         X

Kolkhorst       X

Sparks          X

Springer        X

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to memoranda of understanding between the Texas Water Development Board and other state agencies.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 6.104, Water Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 6.104.  MEMORANDA OF UNDERSTANDING. The board may enter into a memorandum of understanding with any other state agency [~~and shall adopt by rule any memorandum of understanding between the board and any other state agency~~].

SECTION 2.  The change in law made by this Act to Section 6.104, Water Code, applies only to a memorandum of understanding that is entered into on or after the effective date of this Act. A memorandum of understanding that is entered into before that date is governed by the law in effect on the date the memorandum of understanding was entered into, and the former law is continued in effect for that purpose.

SECTION 3.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.

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