

1-1 By: Birdwell S.B. No. 1147  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 6, 2025; February 24, 2025,  
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources;  
1-4 March 27, 2025, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 8,  
1-5 Nays 0; March 27, 2025, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Birdwell	X			
1-9	Zaffirini	X			
1-10	Alvarado	X			
1-11	Blanco	X			
1-12	Flores	X			
1-13	Hancock	X			
1-14	Hughes			X	
1-15	Parker	X			
1-16	Sparks	X			

1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to the withdrawal of the State of Texas from the Interstate  
1-20 Mining Compact.

1-21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. The State of Texas withdraws from the Interstate  
1-23 Mining Compact under Section 132.002, Natural Resources Code, as  
1-24 authorized by Article VIII of the compact. As soon as practicable  
1-25 after the effective date of this Act, the governor shall:

1-26 (1) provide written notice of the withdrawal to the  
1-27 governor of each state that is a party to the compact as provided by  
1-28 that article; and

1-29 (2) publish notice of the withdrawal in the Texas  
1-30 Register.

1-31 SECTION 2. On the first anniversary of the date the governor  
1-32 publishes notice under Section 1(2) of this Act:

1-33 (1) the office of the Interstate Mining Compact  
1-34 Commissioner for Texas is abolished;

1-35 (2) the Texas Mining Council is abolished; and

1-36 (3) Chapter 132, Natural Resources Code, is repealed.

1-37 SECTION 3. Except as otherwise provided by this Act, this  
1-38 Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of  
1-39 all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39,  
1-40 Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the  
1-41 vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect  
1-42 September 1, 2025.

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