

AN ACT

relating to notification procedures concerning groundwater contamination.

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

SECTION 1. Section 26.408(b), Water Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) As soon as practicable but not ~~[Not]~~ later than the 30th day after the date the commission receives notice under Subsection (a) or obtains independent knowledge of groundwater contamination, the commission shall make every effort to give notice of the contamination by first class mail, e-mail, notice placed on the door of a residence, or another effective delivery method to:

(1) each owner of a private drinking water well that may be affected by the contamination;

(2) ~~and to~~ each applicable groundwater conservation district; and

(3) the residents of each residential address within one mile of the site of the contamination.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 1663 passed the Senate on April 16, 2025, by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 1.

Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 1663 passed the House on May 27, 2025, by the following vote: Yeas 111, Nays 29, two present not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

Date

Governor