

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the offense of failing to certify compliance of an
3 underground storage tank before accepting delivery of the regulated
4 substance to be stored in the tank.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 26.3467(b), Water Code, is amended to
7 read as follows:

8 (b) A person who knowingly violates Subsection (a) commits
9 an offense that is punishable as provided by Section 7.156 for an
10 offense under that section.

11 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

12 SECTION 3. (a) The change in law made by this Act applies
13 only to an offense committed on or after the effective date of this
14 Act. For purposes of this section an offense is committed before
15 the effective date of this Act if any element of the offense occurs
16 before that date.

17 (b) An offense committed before the effective date of this
18 Act is covered by the law in effect when the offense was committed,
19 and the former law is continued in effect for that purpose.

David Newkirk

President of the Senate

Jim Caddick

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 755 was passed by the House on April 30, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Robert Hanney

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 755 was passed by the Senate on May 23, 2003, by a viva-voce vote.

Patricia Spill

Secretary of the Senate

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