Chapter 113

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H.B. No. 1527

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1	AN ACT
2	relating to the certification of the state's primary standards of
3	weights and measures.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5	SECTION 1. Section 13.113(b), Agriculture Code, is amended
6	to read as follows:
7	(b) The department shall maintain the <u>primary</u> [ <del>official</del> ]
8	standards in a safe and suitable place in the offices of the
9	department. The standards may not be moved except for repairs or
10	certification. The department shall maintain the standards in good
11	order and shall submit them to the National Institute of Standards
12	and Technology or to a laboratory approved by the National
13	Institute of Standards and Technology for certification at least
14	once each 10 years.
15	SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

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H.B. No. 1527 Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

I certify that H.B. No. 1527 was passed by the House on April 14, 2011, by the following vote: Yeas 142, Nays 0, 1 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1527 was passed by the Senate on May 10, 2011, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED:

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