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- 87(R) HB 242** **Author:** Zwiener
Last Action 04/13/2021 H Left pending in committee
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the authority of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality to require water pollution abatement plans from certain facilities regulated by the Railroad Commission of Texas.
House Committee: Natural Resources (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:
- 87(R) SB 211** **Author:** Zaffirini
Last Action 04/26/2021 H Scheduled for public hearing on . . .
Caption Version: Engrossed
Caption: Relating to judicial review of acts by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.
House Committee: Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee: Natural Resources & Economic Development (Out)
Comment:
- 87(R) HB 631** **Author:** Darby
Last Action 04/19/2021 H Reported favorably as substituted
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to local government and other political subdivision regulation of certain solid waste facilities.
House Committee: Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:
- 87(R) HB 711** **Author:** Perez
Last Action 03/01/2021 H Referred to Environmental Regulation
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to performance standards for certain aboveground storage tanks.
House Committee: Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:
- 87(R) HB 858** **Author:** Dutton
Last Action 03/01/2021 H Referred to Environmental Regulation
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the carcinogenic risk level used in the development of certain environmental remediation benchmarks.
House Committee: Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) HB 860	Author: Collier
Last Action	03/01/2021 H Referred to Environmental Regulation
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to changes to an application for an environmental permit before a contested case hearing on the application.
House Committee:	Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:	
Comment:	
87(R) HB 896	Author: Reynolds
Last Action	04/19/2021 H Left pending in committee
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to air quality permits issued by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality for certain oil and gas facilities.
House Committee:	Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:	
Comment:	
87(R) HB 897	Author: Reynolds
Last Action	04/19/2021 H Left pending in committee
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to the analysis of inspection and maintenance requirements for air quality permits issued by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality for certain oil and gas facilities.
House Committee:	Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:	
Comment:	
87(R) HB 960	Author: Allen et al.
Last Action	04/23/2021 H Considered in Calendars
Caption Version:	House Committee Report
Caption:	Relating to the location of certain public meetings for certain permits issued by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.
House Committee:	Environmental Regulation (Out)
Senate Committee:	
Comment:	
87(R) SB 278	Author: Hinojosa
Last Action	03/03/2021 S Referred to Ports, Select
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to the administration of navigation districts.
House Committee:	
Senate Committee:	Ports, Select (In)
Comment:	
87(R) HB 968	Author: Dutton
Last Action	03/01/2021 H Referred to Environmental Regulation
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to public comments on matters subject to a hearing under the jurisdiction of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.
House Committee:	Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:	
Comment:	

87(R) HB 969	Author: Dutton
Last Action	04/26/2021 H Scheduled for public hearing on . . .
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to the definition of "affected person" for purposes of a contested case hearing held by or for the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality regarding certain environmental permit applications.
House Committee:	Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:	
Comment:	
87(R) HB 975	Author: Dutton
Last Action	03/01/2021 H Referred to Environmental Regulation
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to the notice of intent to obtain a permit from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.
House Committee:	Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:	
Comment:	
87(R) HB 1044	Author: Anchia et al.
Last Action	03/04/2021 H Referred to Environmental Regulation
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to establishing the Texas Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Commission to study and address the impacts of climate change in this state.
House Committee:	Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:	
Comment:	
87(R) SB 304	Author: Eckhardt
Last Action	03/09/2021 S Referred to Business & Commerce
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to a state goal for competitive zero-carbon electric generation.
House Committee:	
Senate Committee:	Business & Commerce (In)
Comment:	
87(R) SB 364	Author: Miles
Last Action	03/09/2021 S Referred to Natural Resources & Economic Development
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to affirmative defenses for a Texas Commission on Environmental Quality enforcement action for unauthorized emission or opacity events.
House Committee:	
Senate Committee:	Natural Resources & Economic Development (In)
Comment:	
87(R) SB 365	Author: Miles
Last Action	03/09/2021 S Referred to Natural Resources & Economic Development
Caption Version:	Introduced
Caption:	Relating to applications for permits issued by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality for certain new or expanded facilities in certain low-income and minority communities.
House Committee:	
Senate Committee:	Natural Resources & Economic Development (In)
Comment:	

87(R) HB 348 **Author:** Zwiener
Last Action 02/25/2021 H Referred to Natural Resources
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to a requirement to make certain environmental and water use permit applications available online.
House Committee: Natural Resources (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) SB 87 **Author:** Miles
Last Action 03/03/2021 S Referred to Natural Resources & Economic Development
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the consideration of the cumulative effects of air contaminant emissions in the emissions permitting process.
House Committee:
Senate Committee: Natural Resources & Economic Development (In)
Comment:

87(R) HB 1289 **Author:** Reynolds
Last Action 03/04/2021 H Referred to Environmental Regulation
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to notice of certain accidental discharges or spills to local government officials by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.
House Committee: Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) SB 388 **Author:** Eckhardt
Last Action 03/09/2021 S Referred to Natural Resources & Economic Development
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the reduction of methane gas flaring on land dedicated to the permanent university fund.
House Committee:
Senate Committee: Natural Resources & Economic Development (In)
Comment:

87(R) HB 1377 **Author:** González, Jessica
Last Action 03/05/2021 H Referred to Ways & Means
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the repeal of the exemption from the severance tax for flared or vented gas.
House Committee: Ways & Means (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) HB 1452 **Author:** Rosenthal
Last Action 03/05/2021 H Referred to Energy Resources
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the establishment by the Railroad Commission of Texas of a policy to eliminate the routine flaring of natural gas from wells or other facilities regulated by the commission.
House Committee: Energy Resources (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) HB 1494 **Author:** Goodwin
Last Action 03/05/2021 H Referred to Ways & Means
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the applicability of the gas production tax to flared or vented gas at an increased rate; imposing a tax.
House Committee: Ways & Means (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) HB 1956 **Author:** Beckley | et al.
Last Action 03/15/2021 H Referred to State Affairs
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to information on projected changes in weather, water availability, and climate variability in strategic plans of certain state agencies.
House Committee: State Affairs (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) HB 2140 **Author:** Thompson, Ed
Last Action 04/12/2021 H No action taken in committee
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the administration of and funding for the Texas emissions reduction plan.
House Committee: Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) HB 2780 **Author:** Paddie | et al.
Last Action 03/17/2021 H Referred to Environmental Regulation
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the safety of aboveground storage tanks.
House Committee: Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) HB 2994 **Author:** Lopez
Last Action 04/12/2021 H Left pending in committee
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to programs that can be established and funded under the Texas emissions reduction plan.
House Committee: Environmental Regulation (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) HB 1521 **Author:** Hinojosa | et al.
Last Action 03/08/2021 H Referred to Energy Resources
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the reduction of methane gas flaring on land dedicated to the permanent university fund.
House Committee: Energy Resources (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) HB 1949 **Author:** Crockett
Last Action 03/15/2021 H Referred to State Affairs
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to information on projected changes in weather, water availability, and climate variability in strategic plans of certain state agencies.
House Committee: State Affairs (In)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) SB 125 **Author:** Johnson
Last Action 03/03/2021 S Referred to Natural Resources & Economic Development
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the regulation of hydrofluorocarbons under the Texas Clean Air Act.
House Committee:
Senate Committee: Natural Resources & Economic Development (In)
Comment:

87(R) HB 3294 **Author:** Bell, Cecil | et al.
Last Action 04/20/2021 H Committee report sent to Calendars
Caption Version: House Committee Report
Caption: Relating to funding for the Texas emissions reduction plan.
House Committee: Appropriations (Out)
Senate Committee:
Comment:

87(R) SB 1559 **Author:** Nichols
Last Action 03/24/2021 S Referred to Transportation
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to the Texas emission reductions plan fund and account and certain revenues deposited therein.
House Committee:
Senate Committee: Transportation (In)
Comment:

87(R) SB 1839 **Author:** Eckhardt
Last Action 03/26/2021 S Referred to Natural Resources & Economic Development
Caption Version: Introduced
Caption: Relating to establishing an advisory board to study the creation of an entity to facilitate the certification, buying, and selling of carbon capture and sequestration credits.
House Committee:
Senate Committee: Natural Resources & Economic Development (In)
Comment: