

House Bill 991
Senate Amendments
Section-by-Section Analysis

HOUSE VERSION

SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 17, Agriculture Code, is amended by adding Section 17.0515 to read as follows:

Sec. 17.0515. NOTICE OF MOTOR FUEL TAX RATES. The department shall display on each motor fuel pump from which motor fuel is sold at retail a notice of the current rates of the federal and state motor fuel taxes. The notice must:

- (1) display the current rate of each tax, in cents per gallon, for each type of motor fuel;
- (2) be displayed on each face of the motor fuel pump on which the price of the motor fuel sold from the pump is displayed; and
- (3) be displayed in a clear, conspicuous, and prominent manner.

No equivalent provision.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect January 1, 2016.

SENATE VERSION (CS)

SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 17, Agriculture Code, is amended by adding Section 17.0515 to read as follows:

Sec. 17.0515. NOTICE OF MOTOR FUEL TAX RATES. (a) The department shall display or require to be displayed on each motor fuel pump from which motor fuel is sold at retail a notice of the current rates of the federal and state motor fuel taxes. The notice must:

- (1) display the current rate of each tax, in cents per gallon, for each type of motor fuel;
 - (2) be displayed on each face of the motor fuel pump on which the price of the motor fuel sold from the pump is displayed; and
 - (3) be displayed in a clear, conspicuous, and prominent manner.
- (b) The department may include the notice required under Subsection (a) with any other notice displayed or required by department rule to be displayed, including a "Fuel Feedback?" sticker.

SECTION 2. The Department of Agriculture is not required to display, or may not require to be displayed, a notice on a motor fuel pump under Section 17.0515, Agriculture Code, as added by this Act, until the later of the date:

- (1) the department is at the pump's location for an inspection or other official business; or
- (2) the department's inventory of "Fuel Feedback?" stickers on hand on the effective date of this Act is used and the department acquires new stickers.

SECTION 3. Same as House version.

CONFERENCE