By: Elkins (Senate Sponsor - Estes) 1-1 H.B. No. 1515 1-2 1-3 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 8, 2017; May 8, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources & Economic Development; May 17, 2017, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 8, Nays 3; May 17, 2017, sent to 1-4 1-5 1-6 printer.)

1-7	COMMITTEE VOTE				
1-8		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-9	Estes	Х			
1-10	Zaffirini	Х			
1-11	Burton		Х		
1-12	Garcia	Х			
1-13	Hancock	Х			
1-14	Hinojosa	Х			
1-15	Huffines		Х		
1-16	Miles	Х			
1-17	Rodríguez	Х			
1-18	Seliger	Х			
1-19	Taylor of Collin		Х		

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

1-22 relating to the expiration of the dry cleaner environmental 1**-**23 response program. 1-24

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

SECTION 1. Sections 374.253(a), (b), and (c), Health and Safety Code, are amended to read as follows: 1-25 1-26

This chapter expires on September 1, 2050 [2021]. (a)

1-27 1-28 A corrective action, including any administrative (b) 1-29 duties associated with the action, for which remediation of a contaminated site has begun before September 1, 2050 [2021], shall 1-30 be completed in accordance with this chapter using money from the 1-31 fund, to the extent possible, but money may not be collected for or added to the fund on or after that date. 1-32 1-33

1-34 (c) The commission may continue a corrective action that has 1-35 not progressed beyond the investigative or planning stage after 1-36 September 1, 2050 [2021], to the extent money from the fund is 1-37 available. 1-38

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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