

1-1 By: Kolkhorst S.B. No. 947
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 17, 2017; March 1, 2017,
 1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Business & Commerce;
 1-4 March 20, 2017, reported adversely, with favorable Committee
 1-5 Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; March 20, 2017,
 1-6 sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	X			
1-9	X			
1-10	X			
1-11	X			
1-12	X			
1-13	X			
1-14	X			
1-15	X			
1-16	X			
1-17	X			

1-18 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 947 By: Nichols

1-19 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-20 AN ACT

1-21 relating to liability of certain electric utilities that allow
 1-22 certain uses of land that the electric utility owns, occupies, or
 1-23 leases.

1-24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-25 SECTION 1. Section 75.007(e), Civil Practice and Remedies
 1-26 Code, is amended to read as follows:

1-27 (e) This section does not affect Section 75.001, 75.002,
 1-28 [~~75.0021~~] 75.003, or 75.004 or create or increase the liability of
 1-29 any person.

1-30 SECTION 2. Sections 75.0021 and 75.0022(b), Civil Practice
 1-31 and Remedies Code, are repealed.

1-32 SECTION 3. The change in law made by this Act applies only
 1-33 to a cause of action that accrues on or after the effective date of
 1-34 this Act. A cause of action that accrues before the effective date
 1-35 of this Act is governed by the law applicable to the cause of action
 1-36 immediately before that date, and that law is continued in effect
 1-37 for that purpose.

1-38 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
 1-39 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
 1-40 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
 1-41 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
 1-42 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

1-43 * * * * *