1-1 By: Burns, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Paxton) H.B. No. 2334
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 3, 2023;
1-3 May 4, 2023, read first time and referred to Committee on Business
1-4 & Commerce; May 16, 2023, reported favorably by the following vote:
1-5 Yeas 10, Nays 0; May 16, 2023, sent to printer.)

1-6	COMMITTEE VOTE				
1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Schwertner	Х			
1-9	King	Х			
1-10	Birdwell	Х			
1-11	Campbell	Х			
1-12	Creighton	Х			
1-13	Johnson	Х			
1-14	Kolkhorst	Х			
1-15	Menéndez	Х			
1-16	Middleton	Х			
1-17	Nichols			Х	
1-18	Zaffirini	Х			
1-19	A BILL TO BE ENTITLED				
1-20	AN ACT				

1-21 relating to an exemption from the plumbing licensing law for 1-22 certain work performed on certain private property. 1-23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-24 SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 1301, Occupations Code, is 1-25 amended by adding Section 1301.059 to read as follows:

1-26 Sec. 1301.059. WORK PERFORMED ON CERTAIN PRIVATE PROPERTY. 1-27 (a) A person is not required to be licensed under this chapter to 1-28 perform work consisting of installing, servicing, or repairing 1-29 service mains or service lines that provide water, sewer, or storm 1-30 drainage services on private property in an area that extends from a 1-31 public right-of-way or public easement to not less than five feet 1-32 from a building or structure.

1-33 (b) This section does not apply to plumbing work performed 1-34 on private property designated for use as a one-family or 1-35 two-family dwelling.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.

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