1-1 By: Morgan, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Zaffirini) H.B. No. 3479
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 30, 2025;
1-3 May 5, 2025, read first time and referred to Committee on Water,
1-4 Agriculture and Rural Affairs; May 19, 2025, reported favorably by
1-5 the following vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0; May 19, 2025, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Perry	X			
1-9	Hancock	X			
1-10	Birdwell			X	
1-11	Blanco	X			
1-12	Gutierrez	X			
1-13	Hinojosa of Nueces	X			
1-14	Johnson	X			
1-15	Kolkhorst	X			
1-16	Sparks	X			

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

relating to the Rio Grande vegetative management program.

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

SECTION 1. Section 201.0225, Agriculture Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 201.0225. RIO GRANDE VEGETATIVE MANAGEMENT [CARRIZO CANE ERADICATION] PROGRAM. The state board shall develop and implement the Rio Grande vegetative management [a] program to manage [cradicate] Carrizo cane and other noxious vegetation that impedes border security along the Rio Grande River.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

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