

By: Gonzales of Williamson

H.B. No. 273

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the content of local and state propositions on the ballot.

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

SECTION 1. Section 52.095, Election Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 52.095. PROPOSITIONS. (a) Except as otherwise provided by law, the authority ordering an election in which more than one measure is to be voted on shall determine the order in which the propositions are to appear on the ballot.

(b) Each proposition on the ballot must identify the name of the authority ordering the election on the measure and assign a number to the measure that corresponds to the order in which it is placed on the ballot.

(c) The secretary of state shall prescribe procedures necessary to implement this section.

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