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H.B. No. 3193

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 3193:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to expedited binding arbitration of appraisal review board  
3 orders; repealing the fee for that form of arbitration.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 41A.03(a), Tax Code, is amended to read  
6 as follows:

7 (a) To appeal an appraisal review board order under this  
8 chapter, a property owner must file with the appraisal district not  
9 later than the 45th day after the date the property owner receives  
10 notice of the order:

11 (1) a completed request for binding arbitration under  
12 this chapter in the form prescribed by Section 41A.04; and

13 (2) an arbitration deposit made payable to the  
14 comptroller in the amount of [+]

15 [(A)] \$500 [+ or]

16 [(B)] \$250, if the property owner requests  
17 expedited arbitration under Section 41A.031].

18 SECTION 2. Section 41A.031, Tax Code, is repealed.

19 SECTION 3. The change in law made by this Act does not apply  
20 to an appeal of an appraisal review board order for which a request  
21 is filed and a deposit is paid before the effective date of this  
22 Act. An appeal of an appraisal review board order for which a  
23 request is filed and a deposit is paid before the effective date of  
24 this Act is governed by the law in effect immediately before that

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1 date, and that law is continued in effect for that purpose.

2 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect January 1, 2014.