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S. B. No. 2293

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the authority of a state agency to contest the issuance
3 of a permit or license by the Texas Commission on Environmental
4 Quality.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 5.115(b), Water Code, is amended to read
7 as follows:

17 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only
18 to an application for the issuance, amendment, extension, or
19 renewal of a permit or license that is received by the Texas
20 Commission on Environmental Quality on or after the effective date
21 of this Act. An application that is received before that date is
22 governed by the law in effect at the time the application is
23 received, and the former law is continued in effect for that
24 purpose.

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1 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.