SECTI0N 3. Subchapter B, Chapter 21, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 21.061 to read as follows:

Sec. 21.061. REVIEW AND UPDATING OF EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAMS. The board shall, after consulting with appropriate higher education faculty and public school teachers and administrators and soliciting advice from other interested persons with relevant knowledge and experience, develop and carry out a process for reviewing and, as necessary, updating standards and requirements for educator preparation programs.

SECTION 4. The State Board for Educator Certification shall complete an initial review of and implement any updated standards and requirements for educator preparation and alternative certification programs as required by Section 21.061, Education Code, as added by this Act, not later than September 1, 2014.

SECTION 5. Not later than January 1, 2014, the commissioner of education shall determine performance levels for certification examinations as provided by Section 21.048(a), Education Code, as amended by this Act.

SECTION 6. 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, 2013.

Passed by the House on May 2, 2013: Yeas 147, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; the House concurred in Senate amendments to H.B. No. 2318 on May 23, 2013: Yeas 145, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate, with amendments, on May 20, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved June 14, 2013.
Effective June 14, 2013.

CHAPTER 1293

H.B. No. 2362

AN ACT relating to the efficiency review of river authorities.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subchapter G, Chapter 49, Water Code, is amended by adding Section 49.1991 to read as follows:

Sec. 49.1991. EFFICIENCY REVIEW OF RIVER AUTHORITIES. A district that is a river authority is subject to an efficiency review by the Legislative Budget Board.

SECTION 2. Chapter 322, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 322.0171 to read as follows:

Sec. 322.0171. EFFICIENCY REVIEW OF RIVER AUTHORITIES. (a) The board periodically may review and analyze the effectiveness and efficiency of the policies, management, fiscal affairs, and operations of a river authority.

(b) The board shall report the findings of a review and analysis to the governor and the legislature.

(c) Until the board has completed a review and analysis under this section, all information, documentary or otherwise, prepared or maintained in conducting the review and analysis or preparing the review report, including intra-agency and interagency communications and drafts of the review report or portions of those drafts, is excepted from required public disclosure as audit working papers under Section 552.116. This subsection does not affect whether information described by this subsection is confidential or excepted from required public disclosure under a law other than Section 552.116.
SECTION 3. The Legislative Budget Board shall conduct an efficiency review authorized by Section 322.0171, Government Code, as added by this Act, of both the Lower Colorado River Authority and the Brazos River Authority before conducting a review of other river authorities as authorized by this Act.

SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed by the House on May 2, 2013: Yeas 147, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; the House concurred in Senate amendments to H.B. No. 2362 on May 23, 2013: Yeas 145, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate, with amendments, on May 21, 2013: Yeas 30, Nays 0.

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CHAPTER 1294
H.B. No. 2388

AN ACT
relating to the application of certain contracting laws to a defense base development authority.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. (a) This section takes effect only if the Act of the 83rd Legislature, Regular Session, 2013, relating to nonsubstantive additions to and corrections in enacted codes becomes law.

(b) Chapter 379B, Local Government Code, is amended by adding Section 379B.0012 to read as follows:

Sec. 379B.0012. APPLICATION OF OTHER LAW. (a) In this section, “qualifying project” means any real estate project involving the construction of:

(1) tenant finish-out or construction of a build-to-suit facility for a tenant who, through the execution of a lease with an authority, pays for or reimburses the authority for the cost of the improvements;

(2) infrastructure improvements, including roads, driveways, or utility extensions, made in connection with the sale or lease of property owned by the authority and for which the proceeds of the sale or the lease are used to reimburse the authority for the infrastructure improvements; or

(3) an income-producing facility that generates revenue for the authority and that is constructed by a private developer with special expertise in development.

(b) Chapters 2267 and 2269, Government Code, do not apply to a qualifying project of an authority.

SECTION 2. (a) This section takes effect only if the Act of the 83rd Legislature, Regular Session, 2013, relating to nonsubstantive additions to and corrections in enacted codes does not become law.

(b) Chapter 379B, Local Government Code, is amended by adding Section 379B.0012 to read as follows:

Sec. 379B.0012. APPLICATION OF OTHER LAW. (a) In this section, “qualifying project” means any real estate project involving the construction of:

(1) tenant finish-out or construction of a build-to-suit facility for a tenant who, through the execution of a lease with an authority, pays for or reimburses the authority for the cost of the improvements;

(2) infrastructure improvements, including roads, driveways, or utility extensions, made in connection with the sale or lease of property owned by the authority and for which the proceeds of the sale or the lease are used to reimburse the authority for the infrastructure improvements; or