

CHAPTER 976

H.B. No. 2247

An Act relating to the annexation by a city of territory within a water or sewer district.

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

**SECTION 1.** Chapter 50, Water Code, is amended by adding Section 50.202 to read as follows:

*Sec. 50.202. ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN LAND. Section 11, Municipal Annexation Act (Article 970a, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), will not apply to the annexation by a city of land and territory within a district if:*

- (1) the governing body of the district consents to such annexation;*
- (2) the fee simple owners of the annexed land and territory consent to such annexation; and*
- (3) the annexed land and territory is not wider than 525 feet, at its widest point.*

**SECTION 2.** The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Passed by the House on April 18, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 139, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 15, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Filed: June 16, 1985, without signature.

Effective: Immediately