

CHAPTER 837

H.B. No. 467

AN ACT

relating to the signs erected along certain highways by nonprofit organizations.

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

SECTION 1. Section 4.06, Chapter 741, Acts of the 67th Legislature, Regular Session, 1981 (Article 4477-9a, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended by adding Subsection (d) to read as follows:

(d) The combined license and permit fees may not be more than \$10 for a sign erected and maintained by a nonprofit organization in a municipality or the extraterritorial jurisdiction of a municipality if the sign advertises or promotes only the municipality or another political subdivision whose jurisdiction is in whole or in part concurrent with the municipality. The nonprofit organization is not required to file a bond as provided by Section 4.04(b)(3) of this Act.

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 May 4, 1993, by a non-record vote; passed by the Senate on May 30, 1993: Yeas 23, Nays 8.

Approved June 19, 1993.

Effective Aug. 30, 1993, 90 days after adjournment.