CHAPTER 59

S.B. No. 680

AN ACT

relating to allowing a limited partnership to operate as a common carrier for the transportation by pipeline of certain materials.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1.09, Texas Revised Limited Partnership Act (Article 6132a-1, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended by adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

(c) A limited partnership engaged as a common carrier in the pipeline business for transporting oil, oil products, gas, carbon dioxide, salt brine, fuller's earth, sand, clay, liquefied minerals, or other mineral solutions has all of the rights and powers conferred by Sections 111.019 through 111.022, Natural Resources Code. A limited partnership that is a common carrier as defined in Section 111.002, Natural Resources Code, has in addition all of the obligations conferred by Sections 111.001 through 111.025, Natural Resources Code.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 1993.

SECTION 3. 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.

Passed the Senate on March 31, 1993, by a viva-voce vote; passed the House on April 15, 1993, by a non-record vote.

Approved April 29, 1993.

Effective Sept. 1, 1993.