

CHAPTER 945

H.B. No. 1699

AN ACT

relating to the regulation by the Texas Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Authority of mixed waste containing hazardous and low-level waste.

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

SECTION 1. Section 3.21, Texas Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Authority Act (Article 4590f-1, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended by adding Subsection (f) to read as follows:

*(f) For purposes of this subsection, "mixed waste" means a combination of hazardous waste as defined by the Solid Waste Disposal Act (Article 4477-7, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), and low-level waste. An on-site operator who accepts mixed waste at a disposal site shall comply with the requirements of the Solid Waste Disposal Act (Article 4477-7, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976 (42 U.S.C. 6901 et seq.), and this Act.*

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 1987.

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 by the House on May 29, 1987, by a non-record vote. Passed by the Senate on May 30, 1987, by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 0.

Approved June 20, 1987.

Effective Sept. 1, 1987.