<u>CHAPTER 521</u> H.B. No. 1195

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to the fee for a reissued certificate of compliance for an
- 3 oil lease or gas well.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 85.167(a), Natural Resources Code, is
- 6 amended to read as follows:
- 7 (a) If a certificate of compliance for an oil lease or gas
- 8 <u>well</u> has been canceled <u>for violation of one or more commission</u>
- 9 <u>rules</u>, the commission may not issue a new certificate of compliance
- 10 until the owner or operator submits to the commission a
- 11 nonrefundable fee of \$300 for each severance or seal order issued
- for the lease or well [\$100].
- SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

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President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1195 was passed by the House on April 2, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1195 was passed by the Senate on May 28, 2003, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

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