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**SENATE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, WATER & RURAL AFFAIRS**

Monday, March 9, 2015

12:45 PM

Capitol Extension, Room E1.012

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Pursuant to a notice posted in accordance with Senate Rule 11.10 and 11.18, a public hearing of the Senate Committee on Agriculture, Water & Rural Affairs was held on Monday, March 9, 2015, in the Capitol Extension, Room E1.012, at Austin, Texas.

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**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Senator Charles Perry, Chair

Senator Judith Zaffirini, Vice Chair

Senator Brandon Creighton

Senator Bob Hall

Senator Lois Kolkhorst

Senator José Rodríguez

**MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Senator Juan Hinojosa

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The chair called the meeting to order at 12:45 PM. There being a quorum established at 12:48 p.m. the following business was transacted:

The following members arrived after the roll was called:

Senator Brandon Creighton

Senator Lois Kolkhorst

Senator José Rodríguez

The Chair called the following agency representatives to provide an overview and update from the Texas State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality and the Texas Water Development Board.

There being no further business, at 1:58 PM Senator Rodríguez moved that the Committee be adjourned. Without objection, it was so ordered.

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Senator Charles Perry, Chair

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Lauren Murray, Clerk