

HOUSE \_\_\_\_\_ AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Offered By

AMEND House Committee Substitute #2 for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill  
No. 117, Page 2, Section 32.028, Line 16, by inserting after all of said section and line the  
following:

“32.029. 1. This section shall be known and may be cited as the "Paperless Documents  
and Forms Act".

2. Beginning no later than January 1, 2012, the department of revenue shall, by January 1,  
2018, develop and implement a method by which all documents and forms provided to the public  
by the department, as well as any records, reports, returns, or other documents required by the  
department, relating to taxes imposed under chapters 142, 143, 144, and 149, and fees imposed  
under sections 260.262 and 260.273, are available in an electronic format online and are capable  
of electronic submission to the department. This section shall not be construed to prohibit the  
submission of paper forms to the department or to require the department to allow electronic filing  
of a form that requires a notary or authorization by a third party in order to be effective, or when  
any other document associated with the form, either expressly or by implication, requires a third  
party to notarize, authorize, or issue the document. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to  
the contrary, no electronic form shall be invalid solely because a paper version of the form has  
been incorporated or otherwise referenced in a rule.”; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references  
accordingly.