



**League of Women Voters
of Texas**

**TESTIMONY
HB 4083
House Committee on Environmental Regulation
APRIL 29, 2009**

The League of Women Voters of Texas SUPPORTS HB 4083 by Representative Jessica Farrar.

HB 4083 requires the TCEQ to find a “condition of air pollution” if a pollutant in isolation or in conjunction with other pollutants is found to exceed its effects screening level. Multiple contaminants cannot increase the risk of cancer by more than one chance in 100,000.

We support this bill; however, we would prefer to see the chance of cancer to be no more than one chance in 1,000,000 as this has been shown to be more protective of public health.

Thank you.