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H.B. No. 3512

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the designation of portions of the state highway system as memorial highways for certain deceased peace officers.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 225, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Sections 225.190, 225.191, 225.192, 225.193, 225.194, 225.195, 225.196, 225.197, 225.198, and 225.199 to read as follows:

Sec. 225.190. TROOPER MOISES SANCHEZ MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of Interstate Highway 69C in Hidalgo County between its intersection with Farm-to-Market Road 1925 and its intersection with Trenton Road is designated as the Trooper Moises Sanchez Memorial Highway. The designation is in addition to any other designation.

(b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

(1) design and construct markers indicating the designation as the Trooper Moises Sanchez Memorial Highway and any other appropriate information; and

(2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

Sec. 225.191. TROOPER TROY HOGUE MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of Interstate Highway 20 in Howard County between mile marker 173 and mile marker 190 is designated as the Trooper Troy Hogue Memorial Highway. The designation is in addition to any other

1 designation.

2 (b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

3 (1) design and construct markers indicating the  
4 designation as the Trooper Troy Hogue Memorial Highway and any  
5 other appropriate information; and

6 (2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at  
7 appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

8 Sec. 225.192. CORPORAL WILLIE DALE TAYLOR MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

9 (a) The portion of Interstate Highway 10 in Crockett County between  
10 mile marker 363 and mile marker 368 is designated as the Corporal  
11 Willie Dale Taylor Memorial Highway. The designation is in  
12 addition to any other designation.

13 (b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

14 (1) design and construct markers indicating the  
15 designation as the Corporal Willie Dale Taylor Memorial Highway and  
16 any other appropriate information; and

17 (2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at  
18 appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

19 Sec. 225.193. TROOPER JAVIER ARANA JR. MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

20 (a) The portion of State Highway Loop 375 in El Paso County between  
21 mile marker 41 and mile marker 44 is designated as the Trooper  
22 Javier Arana Jr. Memorial Highway. The designation is in addition  
23 to any other designation.

24 (b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

25 (1) design and construct markers indicating the  
26 designation as the Trooper Javier Arana Jr. Memorial Highway and  
27 any other appropriate information; and

1           (2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at  
2 appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

3           Sec. 225.194. SERGEANT WILLIAM J. KUHNLE JR. MEMORIAL  
4 HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of eastbound United States Highway 90 in  
5 Bexar County between its intersection with State Highway 211 and  
6 its intersection with Montgomery Road is designated as the Sergeant  
7 William J. Kuhnle Jr. Memorial Highway. The designation is in  
8 addition to any other designation.

9           (b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

10           (1) design and construct markers indicating the  
11 designation as the Sergeant William J. Kuhnle Jr. Memorial Highway  
12 and any other appropriate information; and

13           (2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at  
14 appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

15           Sec. 225.195. TROOPER RALPH G. ZERDA MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a)  
16 The portion of westbound United States Highway 90 in Bexar County  
17 between its intersection with State Highway 211 and its  
18 intersection with Montgomery Road is designated as the Trooper  
19 Ralph G. Zerda Memorial Highway. The designation is in addition to  
20 any other designation.

21           (b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

22           (1) design and construct markers indicating the  
23 designation as the Trooper Ralph G. Zerda Memorial Highway and any  
24 other appropriate information; and

25           (2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at  
26 appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

27           Sec. 225.196. TROOPER RICHARD DALE COTTLE MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

1 (a) The portion of Interstate Highway 35 in McLennan County between  
2 mile marker 341 and mile marker 351 is designated as the Trooper  
3 Richard Dale Cottle Memorial Highway. The designation is in  
4 addition to any other designation.

5 (b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

6 (1) design and construct markers indicating the  
7 designation as the Trooper Richard Dale Cottle Memorial Highway and  
8 any other appropriate information; and

9 (2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at  
10 appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

11 Sec. 225.197. TROOPER TIMOTHY WADE MCDERMOT MEMORIAL  
12 HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of United States Highway 80 in Gregg and  
13 Harrison Counties between its intersection with United States  
14 Highway 259 and its intersection with State Loop 281 is designated  
15 as the Trooper Timothy Wade McDermot Memorial Highway. The  
16 designation is in addition to any other designation.

17 (b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

18 (1) design and construct markers indicating the  
19 designation as the Trooper Timothy Wade McDermot Memorial Highway  
20 and any other appropriate information; and

21 (2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at  
22 appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

23 Sec. 225.198. TROOPER MARK JEFFREY PHEBUS MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

24 (a) The portion of Farm-to-Market Road 1774 in Montgomery County  
25 between its intersection with Misty Meadow Drive and its  
26 intersection with Russell Street is designated as the Trooper Mark  
27 Jeffrey Phebus Memorial Highway. The designation is in addition to

1 any other designation.

2 (b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

3 (1) design and construct markers indicating the  
4 designation as the Trooper Mark Jeffrey Phebus Memorial Highway and  
5 any other appropriate information; and

6 (2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at  
7 appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

8 Sec. 225.199. TROOPER DAVID IRVINE RUCKER MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

9 (a) The portion of State Highway 100 in Cameron County between its  
10 intersection with Farm-to-Market Road 523 and its intersection with  
11 Farm-to-Market Road 3069 is designated as the Trooper David Irvine  
12 Rucker Memorial Highway. The designation is in addition to any  
13 other designation.

14 (b) Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

15 (1) design and construct markers indicating the  
16 designation as the Trooper David Irvine Rucker Memorial Highway and  
17 any other appropriate information; and

18 (2) erect a marker at each end of the highway and at  
19 appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

20 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.