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H.B. No. 659

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT
- 2 relating to specialty license plates issued for recipients of the
- 3 Commendation Medal.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 504.315(c), Transportation Code, is
- 6 amended to read as follows:
- 7 (c) The department shall issue specialty license plates for
- 8 recipients of the Commendation Medal or Commendation Medal with
- 9 Valor for each branch of the military and for joint
- 10 service. License plates issued under this subsection must include
- 11 the appropriate Commendation Medal emblem and must include the name
- 12 of the medal at the bottom of each plate. License plates issued
- 13 under this subsection to recipients of the Commendation Medal with
- 14 Valor that are not personalized must also include the letter "V" as
- 15 a prefix or suffix to the numerals on each plate.
- 16 SECTION 2. Section 504.321, Transportation Code, is
- 17 repealed.
- SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.