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H.B. No. 2949

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the verification of the status of certain driver's
3 licenses before renting a motor vehicle.

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

5 SECTION 1. This Act shall be known as the 2Step Act.

6 SECTION 2. Section [521.460\(b\)](#), Transportation Code, is
7 amended to read as follows:

8 (b) A person may not rent a motor vehicle to a renter until
9 the person:

- 10 (1) has inspected the renter's driver's license; and
11 (2) if the renter is a resident of this state, has
12 verified with the department, or a private vendor that has
13 contracted with the department under Section [521.055\(e\)](#), that the
14 renter's driver's license is valid.

15 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.