S.B. No. 347

By: Zaffirini (Harless)

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT 2 relating to the extension of a driver's license suspension or 3 disqualification following certain convictions.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 521.343(c), Transportation Code, is 6 amended to read as follows:

7 (c) If the license holder is convicted of operating a motor 8 vehicle while the license to operate a motor vehicle is cancelled, 9 disqualified, suspended, revoked, or denied, the period is extended 10 for <u>90 days</u> [the same term as the original suspension or 11 disqualification], in addition to any penalty assessed under this 12 chapter or Chapter 522.

13 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only 14 to a determination of suspension or disqualification made by the 15 Department of Public Safety on or after the effective date of this 16 Act. A determination made before the effective date of this Act is 17 governed by the law in effect when the determination was made, and 18 the former law is continued in effect for that purpose.

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

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