

AN ACT

relating to the regulation of motor vehicle title services.

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

SECTION 1. Section 520.052, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 520.052. APPLICABILITY. This subchapter applies to any motor vehicle title service operating in a county:

(1) that has a population of more than 500,000; or

(2) in which the commissioners court by order has adopted this subchapter [2.8 million].

SECTION 2. A person required to hold a license under Subchapter E, Chapter 520, Transportation Code, as amended by this Act, in a county with a population of 2.8 million or less, is not required to hold a license before October 1, 2003.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 623 was passed by the House on April 7, 2003, by a non-record vote; and that the House concurred in Senate amendments to H.B. No. 623 on May 24, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 623 was passed by the Senate, with amendments, on May 23, 2003, by a viva-voce vote.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor