

Amend HB 1546 (committee printing version) as follows:

(1) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Section 201.973(f)(1), Transportation Code (page 2, line 69), strike "principal" and substitute "debt service".

(2) Add the following at the end of SECTION 1 of the bill (page 4, between lines 22-23):

Sec. 201.978. ACQUISITION AND DISPOSAL OF PROPERTY. (a) The department may acquire by purchase property or an interest in property necessary or convenient for one or more of the purposes for which obligations may be issued under Section 201.973(d).

(b) Property acquired under Subsection (a) may be used for any transportation purpose.

(c) Notwithstanding Chapter 202, the department may sell or lease property acquired under Subsection (a) that is no longer needed for a transportation purpose. Revenue from a sale or lease shall be deposited in the fund.