

## **BILL ANALYSIS**

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S.B. 1533  
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### **AUTHOR'S/SPONSOR'S STATEMENT OF INTENT**

S.B. 1533 provides that persons displaying a valid State of Texas employee identification card may not be charged to use any state parking lot or garage after hours or on weekends. S.B. 1533 is intended to provide a small benefit to persons who sacrifice more lucrative employment in the private sector to work for the people of Texas.

### **RULEMAKING AUTHORITY**

This bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

### **SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS**

SECTION 1. Amends Section 2165.2035(g), Transportation Code, to require a lease under this section to provide that any state employee showing a State of Texas employee identification card is permitted to park in any state-owned parking lot or garage free of charge after normal business hours and on weekends.

SECTION 2. Effective date: upon passage or September 1, 2005.