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H.B. No. 851

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to Texas Historical Commission specialty license plates.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter G, Chapter 504, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Section 504.657 to read as follows:

Sec. 504.657. TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION LICENSE PLATES.

(a) The department shall issue specialty license plates including the words "Texas Historical Commission." The department shall design the license plates in consultation with the Texas Historical Commission.

(b) After deduction of the department's administrative costs, the remainder of the fee for issuance of the license plates shall be deposited to the credit of the history museum and county historical commission account in the general revenue fund. Money in the account may be used only by the Texas Historical Commission to provide grants to the Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum and to county historical commissions in amounts determined by the Texas Historical Commission.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.