

1-1 By: Casteel, Solomons (Senate Sponsor - Madla) H.B. No. 1584
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 12, 2005;
1-3 May 13, 2005, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Transportation and Homeland Security; May 20, 2005, reported
1-5 favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 20, 2005,
1-6 sent to printer.)

1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-8 AN ACT

1-9 relating to requiring the operator of a vehicle storage facility to
1-10 accept certain forms of payment for the delivery or storage of a
1-11 vehicle.

1-12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-13 SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 2303, Occupations Code, is
1-14 amended by adding Section 2303.158 to read as follows:

1-15 Sec. 2303.158. FORMS OF PAYMENT OF CHARGES. (a) The
1-16 operator of a vehicle storage facility shall accept payment by an
1-17 electronic check, debit card, or credit card for any charge
1-18 associated with delivery or storage of a vehicle.

1-19 (b) In this section, "vehicle storage facility" includes a
1-20 governmental vehicle storage facility as defined by Section
1-21 2303.155.

1-22 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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