By: Hamric H.B. No. 2955

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 2955:

By: Callegari C.S.H.B. No. 2955

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to the operation of a motor vehicle.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 4 SECTION 1. The heading of Section 502.185, Transportation
- 5 Code, is amended to read as follows:
- 6 Sec. 502.185. REFUSAL TO REGISTER VEHICLE BY [IN CERTAIN]
- 7 COUNTIES OR DEPARTMENT.
- 8 SECTION 2. Section 502.185(a), Transportation Code, is
- 9 amended to read as follows:
- 10 (a) A county assessor-collector or the department may
- 11 refuse to register a motor vehicle if the assessor-collector or the
- 12 department receives information that the owner of the vehicle owes
- 13 \underline{a} [the] county in this state money for a fine, fee, or tax that is
- 14 past due.
- 15 SECTION 3. This Act applies only to the registration of a
- 16 motor vehicle that is applied for on or after the effective date of
- 17 this Act.
- SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.