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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1 AN ACT 2 relating to the transportation of alcoholic beverages between 3 certain licensed or permitted premises. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 4 SECTION 1. Section 22.08, Alcoholic Beverage Code, 5 is amended to read as follows: 6 Sec. 22.08. TRANSFER OF BEVERAGES. The owner of more than 7 one package store who is also the holder of a local cartage permit 8 may transfer alcoholic beverages between any of the owner's [his] 9 licensed premises in the same county or in adjacent counties 10 11 between the hours of 7 a.m. and 9 p.m. on any day when the sale of 12 those beverages is legal, subject to rules prescribed by the 13 commission. SECTION 2. Section 24.04, Alcoholic Beverage Code, 14 is amended to read as follows: 15 Sec. 24.04. DESIGNATION OF PLACE OF STORAGE. The owner of 16

16 Sec. 24.04. DESIGNATION OF PLACE OF STORAGE. The owner of 17 more than one wine only package store who is also the holder of a 18 local cartage permit may designate one of <u>the owner's</u> [his] places 19 of business as a place of storage. <u>The owner</u> [He] may transfer 20 alcoholic beverages to and from <u>the owner's</u> [his] place of storage 21 and <u>the owner's</u> [his] other stores in the same county <u>or a county</u> 22 <u>adjacent to the county in which the place of storage is located</u>, 23 subject to rules prescribed by the commission.

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SECTION 3. The change in law made by this Act applies only

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1 to the transport of an alcoholic beverage on or after the effective 2 date of this Act. The transport of an alcoholic beverage before the 3 effective date of this Act is governed by the law in effect immediately before that date, and that law is continued in effect 4 5 for that purpose. 6

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## SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2007.