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H.B. No. 2111

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to requiring flashing lights to be posted in school  
3 crossing zones.

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

5 SECTION 1. Chapter 600, Transportation Code, is amended by  
6 adding Section 600.005 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 600.005. CAUTION LIGHTS IN SCHOOL CROSSING ZONES. (a)  
8 A local authority shall designate all entry points of each school  
9 crossing zone located within its jurisdiction with one or more  
10 yellow or amber flashing caution lights.

11 (b) A caution light may be affixed to a speed sign.

12 (c) A local authority may contract with other entities,  
13 including local governments and civic organizations, to implement  
14 this section.

15 (d) A local authority may accept gifts, grants, and money  
16 from any other source to implement this section.

17 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2007.