By: Guillen H.B. No. 2322

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 2322:

By: Quintanilla C.S.H.B. No. 2322

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the rate of the hotel occupancy tax imposed by certain

- 3 counties without a municipality.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 352.003(c), Tax Code, is amended to read
- 6 as follows:
- 7 (c) The rate in a county that does not have a municipality
- 8 may not exceed four percent of the price paid for a room in a hotel.
- 9 This subsection does not apply to a county that:
 - (1) has a population of 10,000 or more; and
- 11 (2) borders the United Mexican States.
- 12 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act does not
- 13 affect taxes imposed before the effective date of this Act, and the
- law in effect before the effective date of this Act is continued in
- 15 effect for purposes of the liability for and collection of those
- 16 taxes.

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- 17 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 18 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 19 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 20 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 21 Act takes effect September 1, 2007.