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H.B. No. 2599

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to reinstatement of the Urban Street Program.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter H, Chapter 201, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Section 201.621 to read as follows:

Sec. 201.621. URBAN STREET PROGRAM. The commission shall reinstitute the Urban Street Program, or undertake another program having the same functions and goals, in order to provide infrastructure in border communities as necessary to ensure efficient movement of international trade. In instituting the program, the commission shall consider the effect of activities resulting from or otherwise related to the North American Free Trade Agreement.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2007.