

1-1 By: Miller, O'Day (Senate Sponsor - Hegar) H.B. No. 3275
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 7, 2007;
1-3 May 8, 2007, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Transportation and Homeland Security; May 19, 2007, reported
1-5 adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute by the following
1-6 vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; May 19, 2007, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR H.B. No. 3275 By: Watson

1-8 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-9 AN ACT

1-10 relating to a study regarding the distribution of funds for highway
1-11 projects.

1-12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-13 SECTION 1. (a) The Texas Transportation Commission shall
1-14 conduct a study of the feasibility of prioritizing the distribution
1-15 of funds to highway projects that enhance federally designated
1-16 emergency evacuation routes. The study must determine the sources
1-17 of funds available for those projects.

1-18 (b) Not later than January 15, 2009, the Texas
1-19 Transportation Commission shall submit to the legislature a written
1-20 report containing the findings of the study and the commission's
1-21 recommendations.

1-22 (c) This section expires September 1, 2009.

1-23 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-24 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-25 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-26 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-27 Act takes effect September 1, 2007.

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