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H.B. No. 3441

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the erection and maintenance of tourist-oriented directional signs on eligible highways.

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

SECTION 1. Section 391.099(a)(2), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(2) "Eligible highway" means a highway that:

(A) has noncontrolled access; and

(B) along which a tourist-oriented directional sign may be located as determined by the commission through the adoption of rules that meet the requirements of all applicable federal laws, regulations, and guidelines ~~[is outside the corporate limits of a municipality with a population of 5,000 or more]~~.

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.