

1-1 By: Wentworth S.B. No. 1631
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 8, 2007; March 21, 2007, read
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Transportation and Homeland
1-4 Security; April 2, 2007, reported favorably by the following vote:
1-5 Yeas 9, Nays 0; April 2, 2007, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to payment for the provision of services by a metropolitan
1-9 rapid transit authority to persons with disabilities in a unit of
1-10 election that has withdrawn from the authority.

1-11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-12 SECTION 1. Subsection (a), Section 451.616, Transportation
1-13 Code, is amended to read as follows:

1-14 (a) The comptroller shall withhold from the amount of sales
1-15 and use tax revenue refunded to a unit of election that has
1-16 withdrawn from an authority the full amount [~~one-half~~] of the
1-17 difference between the cost of providing services to persons with
1-18 disabilities in the unit of election and the fares charged during
1-19 the period in which the sales and use tax was collected and remit
1-20 this amount to the authority providing the services.

1-21 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-22 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-23 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-24 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-25 Act takes effect September 1, 2007.

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