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SECTION 1. Section 644.101(b), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

- (b) A police officer of any of the following municipalities is eligible to apply for certification under this section:
- (1) a municipality with a population of 100,000 or more;
- (2) a municipality with a population of 25,000 or more any part of which is located in a county with a population of two million or more;
- (3) a municipality with a population of less than 25,000:
- (A) any part of which is located in a county with a population of 2.4 million; and
- (B) that contains or is adjacent to an international port; [or]
- (4) a municipality any part of which is located in a county bordering the United Mexican States; or
- (5) a municipality with a population of less than 5,000 that is located:
- (A) adjacent to a bay connected to the Gulf of Mexico; and
- (B) in a county adjacent to a county with a population greater than 3.3 million.

Same as House version.

No equivalent provision.

SECTION __. Section 644.103, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Subsections (c-1) and (c-2) to read as follows:

(c-1) A vehicle operator may not be issued a citation or be held criminally or administratively liable more than once for the same violation committed on the same

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calendar day. A person who detains a vehicle under this section shall provide the vehicle operator a written statement, on a form adopted by the department, that indicates:

- (1) the date of the detention;
- (2) whether the detained vehicle was inspected; and
- (3) each violation that was found during the detention, or if no violation was found, a statement to that effect.
- (c-2) A person who stops a vehicle under this section may not detain or require the vehicle to be inspected if the vehicle operator displays to the person a statement provided under Subsection (c-1) that indicates that the vehicle was detained and inspected within the 15-day period preceding the date of the stop.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2007.

Same as House version.