

Amend CSHB 3097 (Senate committee printing) as follows:

(1) In SECTION 1.01 of the bill, added Section 1001.002(b)(2), Transportation Code (page 1, line 32), strike "623".

(2) In SECTION 1.01 of the bill, added Section 1001.005, Transportation Code (page 1, line 51), strike "2021" and substitute "2015".

(3) In SECTION 1.01 of the bill, added Section 1001.024, Transportation Code (page 2, line 69), strike "once a month" and substitute "quarterly".

(4) In SECTION 2A.02 of the bill, amended Section 201.931(2), Transportation Code (page 7), strike lines 6 through 11 and substitute the following:

of vehicles and load exceeding size or weight limitations; and

(B) [~~a motor carrier registration issued under Chapter 643,~~

~~[(C) a vehicle storage facility license issued under Chapter 2303, Occupations Code,~~

~~[(D)] a license or permit for outdoor advertising~~

(5) Strike SECTION 2E.01 of the bill (page 8, lines 33 through 36), and substitute the following:

SECTION 2E.01. Section 502.001, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Subdivision (1-a) and amending Subdivision (3) to read as follows:

(1-a) "Board" means the board of the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles.

(3) "Department" means the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles [~~Transportation~~].

SECTION 2E.02. Section 502.051, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 502.051. DEPOSIT OF REGISTRATION FEES IN STATE HIGHWAY FUND. Except as otherwise provided by this chapter, the board [~~Texas Transportation Commission~~] and the department shall deposit all money received from registration fees in the state treasury to the credit of the state highway fund.

SECTION 2E.03. Section 502.052(a), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The department shall prepare the designs and specifications of license plates and devices selected by the board [~~Texas Transportation Commission~~] to be used as the registration insignia.

(6) Renumber SECTION 2E.02 of the bill (page 8, line 37) as SECTION 2E.04.

(7) Immediately after SECTION 2E.02 of the bill (page 8, between lines 56 and 57), insert the following:

SECTION 2E.05. Section 502.1515, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 502.1515. OUTSOURCING PRODUCTION OF RENEWAL NOTICES; PAID ADVERTISING. The board [~~commission~~] may authorize the department to enter into a contract with a private vendor to produce and distribute motor vehicle registration renewal notices. The contract may provide for the inclusion of paid advertising in the registration renewal notice packet.

SECTION 2E.06. Section 502.352(c), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(c) A person may obtain a permit under this section by:

(1) applying to the county assessor-collector, the department, or the department's wire service agent, if the department has a wire service agent;

(2) paying a fee of \$25 for a 72-hour permit or \$50 for a 144-hour permit:

(A) in cash;

(B) by postal money order;

(C) by certified check;

(D) by wire transfer through the department's wire service agent, if any;

(E) by an escrow account; or

(F) where the service is provided, by a credit card issued by:

(i) a financial institution chartered by a state or the United States; or

(ii) a nationally recognized credit organization approved by the board [~~Texas Transportation Commission~~];

(3) paying a discount or service charge for a credit card payment or escrow account, in addition to the fee; and

(4) furnishing to the county assessor-collector, the department, or the department's wire service agent, evidence of financial responsibility for the vehicle that complies with Sections 502.153(c) and 601.168(a) and is written by an insurance company or surety company authorized to write motor vehicle liability insurance in this state.

SECTION 2E.07. Section 502.355(h), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(h) A person operating a vehicle under a permit issued under this section commits an offense if the person:

(1) transports farm products to a place of market, storage, or processing or a railhead or seaport that is farther from the place of production or point of entry, as appropriate, than the distance provided for in the permit; or

(2) follows a route other than that prescribed by the board [~~Texas Transportation Commission~~].

(8) Between PARTS F and G, ARTICLE 2 (page 8, between lines 63 and 64), insert the following PART, appropriately lettered, and reletter and renumber subsequent PARTS and SECTIONS of that article accordingly:

PART __. SPECIALTY LICENSE PLATES

SECTION 2__.01. Section 504.001(a), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) In this chapter:

(1) "Board" means the board of the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles [~~,"commission" and "director" have the meanings assigned by Section 201.001~~].

(2) "Department" means the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles.

SECTION 2__.02. Section 504.004, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 504.004. RULES AND FORMS. The board [~~commission~~] may adopt rules and the department may issue forms to implement and administer this chapter.

SECTION 2__.03. Sections 504.851(b), (c), and (d),

Transportation Code, are amended to read as follows:

(b) Instead of the fees established by Section 504.101(c), the board [~~commission~~] by rule shall establish fees for the issuance or renewal of personalized license plates that are marketed and sold by the private vendor. Fees must be reasonable and not less than the greater of:

(1) the amounts necessary to allow the department to recover all reasonable costs to the department associated with the evaluation of the competitive sealed proposals received by the department and with the implementation and enforcement of the contract, including direct, indirect, and administrative costs; or

(2) the amount established by Section 504.101(c).

(c) The board [~~commission~~] by rule shall establish the fees for the issuance or renewal of souvenir license plates, specialty license plates, or souvenir or specialty license plates that are personalized that are marketed and sold by the private vendor. Fees must be reasonable and not less than the amounts necessary to allow the department to recover all reasonable costs to the department associated with the evaluation of the competitive sealed proposals received by the department and with the implementation and enforcement of the contract, including direct, indirect, and administrative costs. A fee established under this subsection is in addition to:

(1) the registration fee and any optional registration fee prescribed by this chapter for the vehicle for which specialty license plates are issued;

(2) any additional fee prescribed by this subchapter for the issuance of specialty license plates for that vehicle; and

(3) any additional fee prescribed by this subchapter for the issuance of personalized license plates for that vehicle.

(d) At any time as necessary to comply with Subsection (b) or (c), the board [~~commission~~] may increase or decrease the amount of a fee established under the applicable subsection.

(9) Between PARTS N and O, ARTICLE 2 (page 9, between lines 64 and 65), insert the following PARTS, appropriately lettered, and reletter and renumber subsequent PARTS and SECTIONS accordingly:

PART __. PRIVILEGED PARKING

SECTION 2__.01. Section 681.001(1), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(1) "Department" means the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles [~~Transportation~~].

PART __. ADMINISTRATIVE ADJUDICATION OF VEHICLE PARKING AND STOPPING OFFENSES

SECTION 2__.01. Section 682.008, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 682.008. PRESUMPTIONS. In an administrative adjudication hearing under this chapter:

(1) it is presumed that the registered owner of the motor vehicle is the person who parked or stopped the vehicle at the time and place of the offense charged; and

(2) the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles' [~~Transportation's~~] computer-generated record of the registered vehicle owner is prima facie evidence of the contents of the record.

(10) At the end of SECTION 7.01(b) of the bill (page 33, line 5), add "Neither the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles nor the Texas Department of Transportation may impose or collect a fee or charge in connection with the sharing of information under a joint memorandum of understanding entered into or revised under this section."

(11) In SECTION 7.02(a) of the bill (page 33, lines 25 and 26), strike "as considered necessary or appropriate" and substitute "necessary".

(12) In SECTION 8.01(b) of the bill (page 33, lines 54 and 55), strike "and the Transportation Legislative Oversight Committee" and substitute ", the governor, the lieutenant governor, the speaker of the house of representatives, and the presiding officers of the senate and house committees with jurisdiction over transportation".