

By: Hughes, Frost

H.B. No. 784

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 784:

By: Smith of Tarrant

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the issuance of specialty license plates for certain
3 firefighters.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 504.409, Transportation Code, is amended
6 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 504.409. [~~VOLUNTEER~~] FIREFIGHTERS. (a) The
8 department shall issue specialty license plates for:

9 (1) volunteer firefighters certified by:

10 (A) [~~(1)~~] the Texas Commission on Fire
11 Protection; or

12 (B) [~~(2)~~] the State Firemen's and Fire Marshals'
13 Association of Texas; and

14 (2) fire protection personnel as that term is defined
15 by Section 419.021, Government Code.

16 (b) The fee for issuance of each set of [~~the~~] license plates
17 is:

18 (1) \$4 for volunteer firefighters; and

19 (2) \$30 for fire protection personnel.

20 (c) A person may be issued not more than three sets [~~only one~~
21 ~~set~~] of [~~the~~] license plates.

22 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
23 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
24 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this

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- 1 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 2 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.