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H.B. No. 4332

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT  
2 relating to the certification of certain municipal police officers  
3 to enforce commercial motor vehicle safety standards.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 644.101(b), Transportation Code, as  
6 amended by Chapters 508 (S.B. 545), 702 (H.B. 2077), and 1030 (H.B.  
7 1638), Acts of the 80th Legislature, Regular Session, 2007, is  
8 reenacted and amended to read as follows:

9 (b) A police officer of any of the following municipalities  
10 is eligible to apply for certification under this section:

11 (1) a municipality with a population of 50,000 or  
12 more;

13 (2) a municipality with a population of 25,000 or more  
14 any part of which is located in a county with a population of  
15 500,000 or more;

16 (3) a municipality with a population of less than  
17 25,000:

18 (A) any part of which is located in a county with  
19 a population of 2.4 million; and

20 (B) that contains or is adjacent to an  
21 international port;

22 (4) a municipality with a population of at least  
23 34,000 that is located in a county that borders two or more states;

24 (5) a municipality any part of which is located in a

1 county bordering the United Mexican States; [~~or~~]

2 (6) a municipality with a population of less than  
3 5,000 that is located:

4 (A) adjacent to a bay connected to the Gulf of  
5 Mexico; and

6 (B) in a county adjacent to a county with a  
7 population greater than 3.3 million; or

8 (7) a municipality with a population of 10,000 or more  
9 that is located in a county:

10 (A) with a population of less than 100,000; and

11 (B) that borders the State of Louisiana and the  
12 Gulf Intracoastal Waterway.

13 SECTION 2. To the extent of any conflict, this Act prevails  
14 over another Act of the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009,  
15 relating to nonsubstantive additions to and corrections in enacted  
16 codes.

17 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
18 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
19 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
20 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
21 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.