

1-1 By: Carona S.B. No. 348
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed December 9, 2008; February 11, 2009,
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Transportation and
1-4 Homeland Security; March 2, 2009, reported favorably by the
1-5 following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; March 2, 2009, sent to printer.)

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

1-8 relating to the Texas Transportation Commission's authority to
1-9 establish advisory committees.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 201, Transportation Code,
1-12 is amended by adding Section 201.117 to read as follows:

1-13 Sec. 201.117. ADVISORY COMMITTEES. (a) The commission may
1-14 establish, as it considers necessary, advisory committees on any of
1-15 the matters under its jurisdiction.

1-16 (b) The commission shall determine the purpose, duties, and
1-17 membership of each advisory committee.

1-18 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-19 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-20 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-21 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-22 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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