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S.B. No. 952

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to erecting an off-premise sign adjacent to and visible  
3 from certain roads that follow the route of El Camino Real de Tierra  
4 Adentro.

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

6 SECTION 1. Subsection (a), Section 391.252, Transportation  
7 Code, is amended to read as follows:

8 (a) A person may not erect an off-premise sign that is  
9 adjacent to and visible from:

10 (1) U.S. Highway 290 between the western city limits  
11 of the city of Austin and the eastern city limits of the city of  
12 Fredericksburg;

13 (2) State Highway 317 between the northern city limits  
14 of the city of Belton to the southern city limits of the city of  
15 Valley Mills;

16 (3) State Highway 16 between the northern city limits  
17 of the city of Kerrville and Interstate Highway 20;

18 (4) U.S. Highway 77 between State Highway 186 and  
19 State Highway 44;

20 (5) U.S. Highway 281 between:

21 (A) State Highway 186 and Interstate Highway 37,  
22 exclusive of the segment of U.S. Highway 281 located in the city  
23 limits of Three Rivers; and

24 (B) the southern boundary line of Comal County

- 1 and State Highway 306;
- 2 (6) State Highway 17 between State Highway 118 and  
3 U.S. Highway 90;
- 4 (7) State Highway 67 between U.S. Highway 90 and  
5 Farm-to-Market Road 170;
- 6 (8) Farm-to-Market Road 170 between State Highway 67  
7 and State Highway 118;
- 8 (9) State Highway 118 between Farm-to-Market Road 170  
9 and State Highway 17;
- 10 (10) State Highway 105 between the western city limits  
11 of the city of Sour Lake to the eastern city limits of the city of  
12 Cleveland;
- 13 (11) State Highway 73 between the eastern city limits  
14 of the city of Winnie to the western city limits of the city of Port  
15 Arthur;
- 16 (12) State Highway 21 between the southern city limits  
17 of the city of College Station and U.S. Highway 290;
- 18 (13) a highway located in:
- 19 (A) the Sabine National Forest;
- 20 (B) the Davy Crockett National Forest; or
- 21 (C) the Sam Houston National Forest;
- 22 (14) Segments 1 through 4 of State Highway 130;
- 23 (15) a highway in Bandera County that is part of the  
24 state highway system;
- 25 (16) Farm-to-Market Road 3238 beginning at State  
26 Highway 71 and any extension of that road through Hays and Blanco  
27 Counties;

1           (17) Farm-to-Market Road 2978 between Farm-to-Market  
2 Road 1488 and the boundary line between Harris and Montgomery  
3 Counties;

4           (18) U.S. Highway 90 between the western city limits  
5 of the city of San Antonio and the eastern city limits of the city of  
6 Hondo; [~~or~~]

7           (19) the following highways in Austin County:

8                   (A) State Highway 159;

9                   (B) Farm-to-Market Road 331;

10                  (C) Farm-to-Market Road 529;

11                  (D) Farm-to-Market Road 1094; and

12                  (E) Farm-to-Market Road 2502; or

13           (20) the following highway segments that are a part of  
14 the route of El Camino Real de Tierra Adentro:

15                   (A) Farm-to-Market Road 258 between  
16 Farm-to-Market Road 1110 and Loop 375; and

17                   (B) State Highway 20 between State Highway 260  
18 and the border of this state and the state of New Mexico.

19           SECTION 2. The change in law made by Subsection (a), Section  
20 391.252, Transportation Code, as amended by this Act, applies only  
21 to an off-premise sign erected on or after the effective date of  
22 this Act. An off-premise sign erected before the effective date of  
23 this Act is covered by the law in effect when the sign was erected,  
24 and the former law is continued in effect for that purpose.

25           SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.