By: Watson S.B. No. 1264

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to the participation of certain transportation entities in
- 3 the comptroller's travel services contracts.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 2171.055, Government Code, is amended by
- 6 adding Subsection (i) to read as follows:
- 7 (i) An officer or employee of a transportation or transit
- 8 authority or department established under Chapter 451, 452, or 453,
- 9 Transportation Code, who is engaged in official business of the
- 10 <u>authority or department may participate in the comptroller's</u>
- 11 contracts for travel services. The comptroller may charge a
- 12 participating authority or department a fee not to exceed the costs
- 13 incurred by the comptroller in providing services under this
- 14 subsection. The comptroller shall periodically review fees and
- 15 shall adjust them as needed to ensure recovery of costs incurred in
- 16 providing services to authorities and departments under this
- 17 subsection.
- SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 19 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 20 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 21 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 22 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.