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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the use of money from the Texas Enterprise Fund to

- 3 recruit and retain automotive manufacturing facilities.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 481.078, Government Code, is amended by
- 6 adding Subsection (e-2) to read as follows:
- 7 (e-2) Notwithstanding Subsection (e-1), a municipality is
- 8 eligible to receive a grant under this section for the purpose of
- 9 recruiting or retaining an automotive manufacturing facility. A
- 10 particular municipality may not receive more than \$50 million in
- 11 grants under this subsection in a state fiscal year. A municipality
- 12 may apply for a grant under this section in the same manner as a
- 13 <u>business entity</u>.
- 14 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.