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H.B. No. 209

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to providing Internet access in certain local public
3 libraries.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 441.127, Government Code, is amended by
6 adding Subsection (d) to read as follows:

7 (d) Accreditation standards adopted by the commission under
8 Subsection (a) shall provide that a public library with a service
9 area of over 50,000 residents that receives state or federal
10 funding to provide high-speed Internet access shall provide
11 computers with high-speed Internet access for public use.

12 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.