By: Guillen H.B. No. 423

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 423:

By: Phillips C.S.H.B. No. 423

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to the powers of rural and urban transit districts.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 4 SECTION 1. Section 458.011, Transportation Code, is amended
- 5 to read as follows:
- 6 Sec. 458.011. ADDITIONAL POWERS OF RURAL OR URBAN TRANSIT
- 7 DISTRICT. (a) A rural or urban transit district may contract with
- 8 any governmental agency or private person, firm, or corporation
- 9 for:
- 10 (1) the use by either party to the contract of all or
- 11 any part of a facility, structure, interest in land, air right over
- 12 land, or right-of-way that is owned, leased, or held by the other
- 13 party; or
- 14 (2) the purpose of planning, constructing, or
- 15 operating a facility or performing a service that the rural transit
- 16 district is authorized to operate or perform.
- 17 (b) The governing body of a rural or urban transit district
- 18 by resolution may adopt rules for the safe and efficient operation
- 19 and maintenance of the transit district's transportation system,
- 20 except that the rules may not relate to Subchapter H, Chapter 411,
- 21 Government Code.
- 22 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 23 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 24 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this

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- 1 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 2 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.