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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT
- 2 relating to the designation of a qualified transportation benefit
- 3 as a supplemental optional benefits program for state employees by
- 4 the Employees Retirement System of Texas.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 6 SECTION 1. Section 659.102, Government Code, is amended by
- 7 adding Subsection (b-1) and amending Subsection (c) to read as
- 8 follows:
- 9 (b-1) The supplemental optional benefits program must
- 10 <u>include a qualified transportation benefit.</u>
- 11 (c) The supplemental optional benefits program may include
- 12 permanent life insurance, catastrophic illness insurance,
- 13 disability insurance, or prepaid legal services[, or a qualified
- 14 transportation benefit].
- 15 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.