By: Larson H.B. No. 2348

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 2348:

By: Hamilton C.S.H.B. No. 2348

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to certain standards applicable to certain prisoners
- 3 confined in a county jail pending transfer to the Texas Department
- 4 of Criminal Justice.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 6 SECTION 1. Chapter 511, Government Code, is amended by
- 7 adding Section 511.0089 to read as follows:
- 8 Sec. 511.0089. PRISONERS AWAITING TRANSFER: CLASSIFICATION
- 9 AND HOUSING. Notwithstanding Section 511.009(a), the commission
- 10 may not adopt a rule that establishes classification requirements
- 11 and minimum housing standards for any prisoner who is awaiting
- 12 transfer to a facility operated by or under contract with the Texas
- 13 Department of Criminal Justice following conviction of a felony or
- 14 revocation of community supervision, parole, or mandatory
- 15 supervision and for whom all paperwork and processing under Section
- 16 8(a), Article 42.09, Code of Criminal Procedure, for transfer has
- 17 been completed.
- 18 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.