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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1	AN ACT
2	relating to deferral of certain surcharge payments for active duty
3	military personnel.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5	SECTION 1. Section 708.103, Transportation Code, is amended
6	by adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:
7	(c) The department by rule shall establish a deferral
8	program for surcharges assessed against a person who is on active
9	duty in the United States armed forces. The program must:
10	(1) toll the 36-month period while the person is on
11	active duty; and
12	(2) defer assessment of surcharges under this section
13	against the person on active duty until the date the person is no
14	longer on active duty for an offense committed:
15	(A) before the person was on active duty; or
16	(B) while the person is on active duty.
17	SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.