

1-1 By: Miller of Comal (Senate Sponsor - Wentworth) H.B. No. 3421
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 27, 2011;
1-3 May 4, 2011, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Transportation and Homeland Security; May 20, 2011, reported
1-5 favorably by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 20, 2011,
1-6 sent to printer.)

1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-8 AN ACT

1-9 relating to the designation of the El Camino Real de los Tejas
1-10 National Historic Trail as a historic highway.

1-11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-12 SECTION 1. Section 442.021, Government Code, is amended by
1-13 adding Subsections (c), (d), (e), and (f) to read as follows:

1-14 (c) The commission shall cooperate with the Texas
1-15 Department of Transportation to designate, interpret, and market
1-16 the El Camino Real de los Tejas National Historic Trail as a Texas
1-17 historic highway.

1-18 (d) To supplement revenue available for the purposes under
1-19 Subsection (c), the commission and the Texas Department of
1-20 Transportation may pursue federal funds dedicated to highway
1-21 enhancement.

1-22 (e) A designation of the El Camino Real de los Tejas
1-23 National Historic Trail as a Texas historic highway may not be
1-24 construed as a designation under the National Historic Preservation
1-25 Act (16 U.S.C. Section 470 et seq.).

1-26 (f) The Texas Department of Transportation is not required
1-27 to design, construct, or erect a marker under this section unless a
1-28 grant or donation of funds is made to the department to cover the
1-29 cost of the design, construction, and erection of the marker. Money
1-30 received to cover the cost of the marker shall be deposited to the
1-31 credit of the state highway fund.

1-32 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

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