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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to the use of a mobile tracking device without a court  
3 order in the course of a criminal investigation.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 14, Article 18.21, Code of Criminal  
6 Procedure, is amended by adding Subsection (h) to read as follows:

7 (h) This section does not prohibit the installation and use  
8 of a mobile tracking device without an order in the course of a  
9 criminal investigation if an order is not required under the Texas  
10 Constitution or United States Constitution.

11 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.