

1-1 By: Williams S.B. No. 1719  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 11, 2011; March 23, 2011, read  
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Transportation and Homeland  
1-4 Security; April 4, 2011, reported favorably by the following vote:  
1-5 Yeas 9, Nays 0; April 4, 2011, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to certain comprehensive development agreements of the  
1-9 Texas Department of Transportation.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Subchapter E, Chapter 223, Transportation Code,  
1-12 is amended by adding Section 223.2012 to read as follows:

1-13 Sec. 223.2012. NO EFFECT ON DEPARTMENT OBLIGATIONS. Any  
1-14 authority for the department to enter into a comprehensive  
1-15 development agreement relating to improvements to Grand Parkway  
1-16 (State Highway 99) does not affect the obligation of the department  
1-17 to comply with the applicable requirements of an agreement entered  
1-18 into under Section 228.0111 in connection with the Grand Parkway  
1-19 project, including complying with the terms and conditions for the  
1-20 development, construction, and operation of the Grand Parkway that  
1-21 are prescribed in such an agreement.

1-22 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
1-23 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
1-24 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
1-25 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
1-26 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

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