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H.B. No. 919

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to excepting certain vehicle location information from required disclosure under the public information law.

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

SECTION 1. Section 552.108, Government Code, is amended by adding Subsection (b-1) to read as follows:

(b-1) Information held by a law enforcement agency or prosecutor that relates to the location of a vehicle used for law enforcement is excepted from the requirements of Section 552.021 if:

(1) the information would directly or indirectly reveal the physical location of or route used by a peace officer or vehicle operated by a peace officer; or

(2) the law enforcement agency determines that the release of the information may create a hazard to a peace officer, the public, or another person.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2013.