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H.B. No. 3668

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to an accident resulting in the possible death or injury of
3 a person.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 551.021(a), Transportation Code, is
6 amended to read as follows:

7 (a) The operator of a vehicle involved in an accident
8 resulting in injury to or death of a person, or the possible injury
9 to or death of a person shall:

10 (1) immediately stop the vehicle at the scene of the
11 accident or as close to the scene as possible;

12 (2) immediately return to the scene of the accident;

13 (3) immediately determine if a person is involved in
14 the accident, and if that person requires aid, and

15 (4) remain at the scene of the accident until the
16 operator complies with the requirements of Section 550.023.

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