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(Turner of Tarrant, Farias, Flynn, Moody, et al.)

S.B. No. 229

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to an exception to the domicile requirement for issuance
3 of a commercial driver's license for certain military personnel.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 522.022, Transportation Code, is amended
6 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 522.022. LICENSE REQUIREMENTS. The department may not
8 issue a commercial driver's license other than a nonresident
9 license to a person unless the person:

- 10 (1) has a domicile:
11 (A) in this state; or
12 (B) in another state and is a member of the United
13 States armed forces, including a member of the National Guard or a
14 reserve or auxiliary unit of any branch of the armed forces, whose
15 temporary or permanent duty station is located in this state;

16 (2) has passed knowledge and skills tests for driving
17 a commercial motor vehicle that comply with minimal federal
18 standards established by 49 C.F.R. Part 383, Subparts G and H; and

19 (3) has satisfied the requirements imposed by the
20 federal act, federal regulation, or state law.

21 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.