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S.B. No. 407

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to an exemption for persons who sell certain burglar and
3 fire alarm components from the requirement to be licensed as an air
4 conditioning and refrigeration contractor.

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

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 1302, Occupations Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 1302.064 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 1302.064. TECHNOLOGY INTEGRATION. This chapter does
9 not apply to a person licensed under Chapter 1702 of this code or
10 Chapter 6002, Insurance Code, who sells, designs, or offers to sell
11 or design a product or technology, including a burglar alarm or fire
12 alarm, that is integrated with an air conditioning or refrigeration
13 system if the sale, design, or offer does not include the
14 installation of any part of an air conditioning or refrigeration
15 system by that person.

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