S.B. No. 1053 By: Carona

	A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1	AN ACT
2	relating to the content of a notice provided to an owner or
3	lienholder of a vehicle towed to a vehicle storage facility.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5	SECTION 1. Subsection (a), Section 2303.153, Occupations
6	Code, is amended to read as follows:
7	(a) A notice by mail provided under Section 2303.151 must
8	include:
9	(1) the date the vehicle was accepted for storage;
10	(2) the first day for which a storage fee is assessed;
11	(3) the daily storage rate;
12	(4) the type and amount of any other charge to be paid
13	when the vehicle is claimed;
14	(5) the full name, street address, and telephone
15	number of the vehicle storage facility;
16	(6) the hours during which the owner may claim the

- 16 the hours during which the owner may claim the
- vehicle; and 17
- 18 (7) the facility license number preceded by "Texas
- Department of <u>Licensing and Regulation</u> [Transportation] Vehicle 19
- Storage Facility License Number [+] " or "TDLR VSF Lic. No." 20
- 21 SECTION 2. The changes in law made by this Act apply only to
- a notice mailed on or after September 1, 2013. A notice mailed 22
- before September 1, 2013, is governed by the law in effect 23
- immediately before that date, and that law is continued in effect 24

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- 1 for that purpose.
- 2 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.