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H.B. No. 2273

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to a contract or other agreement between certain
3 governmental entities and a credit services organization or credit
4 access business.

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

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter Z, Chapter 2252, Government Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 2252.908 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 2252.908. CERTAIN CONTRACTS PROHIBITED. (a) In this
9 section, "governmental entity" includes a state agency and a toll
10 project entity as defined by Section 372.001, Transportation Code.

11 (b) A governmental entity may not enter into any contract or
12 other agreement with a credit services organization or a credit
13 access business, as those terms are defined by Chapter 393, Finance
14 Code.

15 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only
16 to a contract or other agreement that is entered into or renewed on
17 or after the effective date of this Act. A contract or other
18 agreement entered into or renewed before the effective date of this
19 Act is governed by the law as it existed immediately before the
20 effective date of this Act, and that law is continued in effect for
21 that purpose.

22 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.