

By: Hancock
(Parker)

S.B. No. 530

Substitute the following for S.B. No. 530:

By: Pickett

C.S.S.B. No. 530

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the licensing of vehicles for hire and passenger
3 transportation services by certain airport governing boards;
4 authorizing the imposition of fees; expanding the authorization to
5 require an occupational license; amending a provision subject to a
6 criminal penalty.

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

8 SECTION 1. Section 22.081, Transportation Code, is amended
9 to read as follows:

10 Sec. 22.081. [~~TAXICAB~~] LICENSING OF VEHICLES FOR HIRE AND
11 PASSENGER TRANSPORTATION SERVICES. (a) A joint board may license
12 taxicabs transporting passengers to or from the airport and impose
13 fees for issuing the licenses.

14 (b) A joint board for which the constituent agencies are
15 populous home-rule municipalities may:

16 (1) license vehicles for hire, including taxicabs, and
17 passenger transportation services providing services to or from the
18 airport for compensation; and

19 (2) impose fees for issuing the licenses.

20 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
21 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
22 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
23 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
24 Act takes effect September 1, 2015.