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S.B. No. 1823

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the enforcement of commercial motor vehicle safety standards in certain municipalities.

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

SECTION 1. Section 644.101(b), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) A police officer of any of the following municipalities is eligible to apply for certification under this section:

(1) a municipality with a population of 50,000 or more;

(2) a municipality with a population of 25,000 or more any part of which is located in a county with a population of 500,000 or more;

(3) a municipality with a population of less than 25,000:

(A) any part of which is located in a county with a population of 3.3 million; and

(B) that contains or is adjacent to an international port;

(4) a municipality with a population of at least 34,000 that is located in a county that borders two or more states;

(5) a municipality any part of which is located in a county bordering the United Mexican States;

(6) a municipality with a population of less than

1 5,000 that is located:

2 (A) adjacent to a bay connected to the Gulf of  
3 Mexico; and

4 (B) in a county adjacent to a county with a  
5 population greater than 3.3 million;

6 (7) a municipality that is located:

7 (A) within 25 miles of an international port; and

8 (B) in a county that does not contain a highway  
9 that is part of the national system of interstate and defense  
10 highways and is adjacent to a county with a population greater than  
11 3.3 million; ~~or~~

12 (8) a municipality with a population of less than  
13 8,500 that:

14 (A) is the county seat; and

15 (B) contains a highway that is part of the  
16 national system of interstate and defense highways; or

17 (9) a municipality with a population of more than  
18 40,000 and less than 50,000 that is located in a county with a  
19 population of more than 285,000 and less than 300,000 that borders  
20 the Gulf of Mexico.

21 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.