



FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. 17 MAY 15 AM 9:42

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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

1 Amend **SB 312** (house committee report) by adding the following  
2 appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumbering  
3 subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

4 SECTION \_\_\_\_ . Subchapter B, Chapter 391, Transportation  
5 Code, is amended by adding Section 391.038 to read as follows:

6 Sec. 391.038. SPACING REQUIREMENTS IN CERTAIN  
7 MUNICIPALITIES. (a) In this section, "electronic sign" means a  
8 sign that changes its message or copy by programmable electronic  
9 or mechanical processes.

10 (b) The department, in regulating outdoor advertising  
11 located in the corporate boundaries of a municipality with a  
12 population of more than 200,000 located in a county on the  
13 Texas-Mexico border with a population of less than 300,000, may  
14 not require an electronic sign owned by the municipality to be  
15 more than 500 feet from another sign.