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H.B. No. 1140

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the allocation categories for state funding of public
3 transportation.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 456.001, Transportation Code, is amended
6 by adding Subdivisions (15) and (16) to read as follows:

7 (15) "Large urbanized area" means an urbanized area
8 with a population of 200,000 or more.

9 (16) "Small urbanized area" means an urbanized area
10 with a population of less than 200,000.

11 SECTION 2. Section 456.021(a), Transportation Code, is
12 amended to read as follows:

13 (a) The commission shall allocate to large urbanized, small
14 urbanized, and nonurbanized [~~urban, urbanized, and rural~~] areas
15 under the formula program provided by this subchapter the amount
16 appropriated from all sources to the commission each state fiscal
17 biennium for public transportation, other than money from the
18 United States and amounts specifically appropriated for
19 coordination, technical support, or other administrative costs.

20 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.