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H.B. No. 1691

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the designation of certain rest areas on Interstate
3 Highway 27 in Hale County as the Nelda Laney Safety Stops.

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

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter Y, Chapter 201, Transportation Code,
6 is amended by adding Section 201.2003 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 201.2003. NELDA LANEY SAFETY STOPS. (a) The
8 northbound and southbound rest areas located on Interstate Highway
9 27 in Hale County are designated as the Nelda Laney Safety Stops.

10 (b) The department shall design and construct markers at
11 each rest area described by Subsection (a) indicating the
12 designation of those rest areas as the Nelda Laney Safety Stops and
13 any other appropriate information.

14 (c) The department shall erect markers at appropriate
15 locations at the rest areas.

16 (d) Notwithstanding Subsections (b) and (c), the department
17 is not required to design, construct, or erect a marker under this
18 section unless a grant or donation of private funds is made to the
19 department to cover the cost of the design, construction, and
20 erection of the marker.

21 (e) Money received under Subsection (d) shall be deposited
22 to the credit of the state highway fund.

23 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.