1 AN ACT 2 relating to the participation by qualified persons in the 3 Department of Public Safety's driver record monitoring pilot 4 program. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 5 SECTION 1. Sections 6 521.062, Transportation amended by amending Subsections (b) and (j) and adding Subsections 7 (b-1) and (b-2) to read as follows: 8 Under the pilot program, the department shall: 9 (1) [may] enter into a contract with any [a] person 10 qualified to provide driver record monitoring services, 11 12 described by Subsection (c); $[\tau]$ and 13 (2) provide certain information from the department's 14 driver's license records to the person as provided by this section. (b-1) A person is qualified to provide driver record 15 monitoring services $[\tau]$ if the person: 16 (1) has submitted an application to the department; 17 18 (2) [(1)] is an employer, an insurer, an insurance support organization, an employer support organization, or an 19 20 entity that self-insures its motor vehicles; and 21 (3) $[\frac{(2)}{(2)}]$ is eligible to receive the information under Chapter 730. 22

persons participating in the pilot program.

(b-2) The department may not limit the number of qualified

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- (j) The department shall accept and consider applications
 [may establish a reasonable deadline by which a person must apply]
 to enter into a contract with the department under this section
 until the conclusion of the term of the pilot program [and may not
 enter into a contract with a person who fails to apply before that
 deadline].
- SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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I certify that H.B. No. 16	99 was passed by the House on April			
17, 2017, by the following vote:	Yeas 128, Nays 16, 3 present, not			
voting.				
	Chief Clerk of the House			
I certify that H.B. No. 16	599 was passed by the Senate on May			
19, 2017, by the following vote:	Yeas 29, Nays 2.			
	Secretary of the Senate			
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