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## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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1 Amend C.S.H.B. No. 2 (house committee report) by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill 2 renumbering SECTIONS of the bill accordingly: 3 4 SECTION \_\_\_\_\_. (a) Section 551.128(b-1), Government Code, is amended to read as follows: 5 (b-1) A transit authority or department subject to Chapter 6 7 451, 452, 453, or 460, Transportation Code, an elected school district board of trustees for a school district that has a student 8 9 enrollment of 10,000 or more, an elected governing body of a home-rule municipality that has a population of 50,000 or more, a 10 governing body of a special district subject to Chapter 51, 53, 54, 11 or 55, Water Code, that has a population of 500 or more and only with 12 respect to a meeting to set a tax rate, or a county commissioners 13 court for a county that has a population of 125,000 or more shall: 14 (1) make a video and audio recording of reasonable 15 16 quality of each: regularly scheduled open meeting that is not 17 (A) 18 a work session or a special called meeting; and 19 (B) open meeting that is a work session or 20 special called meeting if: (i) the governmental body is an elected 21 school district board of trustees for a school district that has a 22 student enrollment of 10,000 or more; and 23 (ii) at the work session or special called 24 25 meeting, the board of trustees votes on any matter or allows public comment or testimony; and 26 (2) make available an archived copy of the video and 27

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audio recording of each meeting described by Subdivision (1) on the

1 (b) Section 551.128(b-1), Government Code, as amended by 2 this Act, applies only to an open meeting held on or after the 3 effective date of this Act. An open meeting that is held before the 4 effective date of this Act is governed by the law in effect on the 5 date of the open meeting, and the former law is continued in effect 6 for that purpose.