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By:  Bettencourt S.B. No. 1773

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the provision of alarm system services by certain municipalities.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 6002.004(d), Insurance Code, is amended to read as follows:

(d)  Subsection (b) does not apply to:

(1)  a political subdivision:

(A) [~~(1)~~]  in a county with a population of less than 80,000; or

(B) [~~(2)~~]  in which monitoring is not otherwise provided or available; or

(2)  a municipality:

(A)  with a population of less than 5,000; and

(B)  adjacent to:

(i)  a municipality with a population of more than two million; and

(ii)  at least one municipality with a population of less than 5,000.

SECTION 2.  Section 1702.3705(c), Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

(c)  The limitations of Subsection (a) do not apply to:

(1)  a political subdivision:

(A)  in a county with a population of less than 80,000; or

(B)  in which [~~or in a political subdivision where~~] monitoring is not otherwise provided or available; or

(2)  a municipality:

(A)  with a population of less than 5,000; and

(B)  adjacent to:

(i)  a municipality with a population of more than two million; and

(ii)  at least one municipality with a population of less than 5,000.

SECTION 3.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.