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H.B. No. 1027

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the content of photographic traffic monitoring system
3 signs.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 544.012, Transportation Code, is amended
6 by amending Subsection (c) and adding Subsection (c-1) to read as
7 follows:

8 (c) The municipality shall install signs along each roadway
9 that leads to an intersection at which a photographic traffic
10 monitoring system is in active use. The signs must be at least 100
11 feet from the intersection or located according to standards
12 established in the manual adopted by the Texas Transportation
13 Commission under Section 544.001, be easily readable to any
14 operator approaching the intersection, and clearly indicate:

15 (1) the presence of a photographic traffic monitoring
16 system that records violations that may result in the issuance of a
17 notice of violation and the imposition of a monetary penalty; and

18 (2) the range of the dollar amounts of the monetary
19 penalties that may be imposed for a violation recorded by a
20 photographic traffic monitoring system.

21 (c-1) A municipality is exempt from the requirements of
22 Subsection (c)(2) if before September 1, 2019, the municipality
23 installed a sign:

24 (1) along each roadway leading to an intersection at

1 which a photographic traffic monitoring system is in active use;

2 and

3 (2) indicating the amount of a monetary penalty that

4 may be imposed for a violation recorded by the system.

5 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.