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H.B. No. 2753

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the requirement that a public video broadcast of an open
3 meeting of a state governmental body include communication access
4 realtime translation captioning.

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

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 551, Government Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 551.025 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 551.025. REALTIME CAPTIONING. A video broadcast,
9 including a video broadcast over the Internet, that is available to
10 the public of an open meeting of a governmental body described by
11 Section 551.001(3)(A) must include communication access realtime
12 translation captioning.

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