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S.B. No. 1800

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT  
2 relating to parole officer participation in a hearing concerning a  
3 person's alleged violation of a condition of parole or mandatory  
4 supervision.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 508.281, Government Code, is amended by  
7 adding Subsection (g) to read as follows:

8 (g) The parole officer supervising a releasee for whom a  
9 hearing is held under this section may appear and testify at the  
10 hearing through the use of video conference technology.

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