By: Buckley, Shine, Button H.B. No. 125

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 125:

By: Bonnen C.S.H.B. No. 125

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the applicability of the law governing the provision of

- 3 state aid to certain local governments disproportionately affected
- 4 by the granting of ad valorem tax relief to disabled veterans.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 6 SECTION 1. Section 140.011(a)(2), Local Government Code, is
- 7 amended to read as follows:
- 8 (2) "Local government" means:
- 9 (A) a municipality adjacent to or with
- 10 extraterritorial jurisdiction located within two miles of the
- 11 boundary line of a United States military installation; and
- 12 (B) a county in which a United States military
- 13 installation is wholly or partly located.
- 14 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies to the
- 15 eligibility of a qualified local government to apply for a disabled
- 16 veteran assistance payment beginning with the fiscal year of the
- 17 local government that ends in the 2021 tax year.
- SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.