By: Harris of Anderson

H.B. No. 627

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

	AN ACT

- 2 relating to the issuance of specialty license plates to the
- 3 surviving spouse of a posthumous recipient of certain awards.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 504.416, Transportation Code, is amended
- 6 to read as follows:
- 7 Sec. 504.416. STAR OF TEXAS AWARD RECIPIENTS. (a) The
- 8 department shall issue specialty license plates for persons who are
- 9 recipients of a Star of Texas Award under Chapter 3106, Government
- 10 Code. The license plates must include the Star of Texas Award
- 11 emblem and the words "Star of Texas."
- 12 (b) The surviving spouse of a person who was the posthumous
- 13 recipient of an award described by Subsection (a) is entitled to
- 14 specialty license plates issued under this section.
- 15 SECTION 2. Section 504.5115, Transportation Code, is
- 16 amended by adding Subsection (d) to read as follows:
- 17 <u>(d)</u> The surviving spouse of a person who was the posthumous
- 18 recipient of an award described by Subsection (a) is entitled to
- 19 specialty license plates issued under this section.
- 20 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.