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H.B. No. 2008

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the extension of a driver's license suspension or disqualification following certain convictions.

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

SECTION 1. Section 521.343(c), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(c) If the license holder is convicted of operating a motor vehicle while the license to operate a motor vehicle is cancelled, disqualified, suspended, revoked, or denied, the period is extended for 90 days [~~the same term as the original suspension or disqualification~~], in addition to any penalty assessed under this chapter or Chapter 522.

SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only to a determination of suspension or disqualification made by the Department of Public Safety on or after the effective date of this Act. A determination made before the effective date of this Act is governed by the law in effect when the determination was made, and the former law is continued in effect for that purpose.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.