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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT
- 2 relating to massage student permits.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 4 SECTION 1. Section 455.161(a), Occupations Code, is amended
- 5 to read as follows:
- 6 (a) The department shall require a student enrolled in a
- 7 massage school in this state to hold a permit stating the student's
- 8 name and the name of the school and including a photograph of the
- 9 <u>student's face</u>. The permit must be displayed in a reasonable manner
- 10 at the school.
- 11 SECTION 2. As soon as practicable after the effective date
- 12 of this Act, the Texas Commission of Licensing and Regulation shall
- 13 adopt rules necessary to implement the changes in law made by this
- 14 Act to Section 455.161, Occupations Code.
- 15 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.