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H.B. No. 3308

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1 AN ACT 2 relating to charitable raffles conducted by the professional sports team charitable foundations of rodeo organizations sanctioned by 3 certain professional associations or hosting a Professional Rodeo 4 5 Event at rodeo venues. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 6 SECTION 1. Section 2004.002, Occupations Code, is amended 7 by amending Subdivision (2) and Subdivision (6) and adding a new 8 Subdivision (7) to read as follows: 9 (2) "Professional sports team" means: 10 11 a team organized in this state that is a (A) of Major League Baseball, the National Basketball 12 member Association, the National Hockey League, the National Football 13 14 League, Major League Soccer, the American Hockey League, the East Coast Hockey League, the American Association of Independent 15 Professional Baseball, the Atlantic League of Professional 16 Baseball, Minor League Baseball, the National Basketball 17 Association Development League, the National Women's Soccer 18 League, the Major Arena Soccer League, the United Soccer League, or 19 the Women's National Basketball Association: 20 21 (B) a person hosting a motorsports racing team 22 event sanctioned by the National Association for Stock Car Auto

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13 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect on September 1, 2025.

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