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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to a motor vehicle dealer's duty to a buyer regarding a global positioning system tracking device installed on a motor vehicle.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter H, Chapter 2301, Occupations Code, is amended by adding Section 2301.364 to read as follows:

Sec. 2301.364. DEALER'S DUTY REGARDING GLOBAL POSITIONING SYSTEM TRACKING DEVICE. A dealer who sells or exchanges a motor vehicle with a global positioning system tracking device installed shall, at the time of the sale or exchange:

(1) verbally notify the buyer that the device is installed on the vehicle; and

(2) on request of the buyer, remove the device from the vehicle at no cost to the buyer.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2027.