

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

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1 Amend Floor Amendment No. ____ to C.S.H.B. No. 300 by
2 Elkins as follows:

3 (1) On page 1, strike lines 6-9, and substitute the
4 following:

5 SECTION ____ .01. (a) Subchapter D, Chapter 201,
6 Transportation Code, is amended by adding Section 201.210 to
7 read as follows:

8 Sec. 201.210. DEPARTMENT APPROVAL. (a) The department
9 has jurisdiction regarding photographic

10 (2) On page 1, after line 16, insert the following:

11 (b) The department may not approve the implementation or
12 operation of a photographic traffic signal enforcement system
13 that was not in operation on June 1, 2009, or for which a
14 contract for the administration or enforcement of the system had
15 not been entered into by a local authority on or before that
16 date.

17 (c) A local authority may not enter into a contract for
18 the administration or enforcement of a photographic traffic
19 signal enforcement system after June 1, 2009. A contract for
20 the administration or enforcement of such a system entered into
21 by a local authority on or before June 1, 2009, may not be
22 renewed or the term of the contract extended.

23 (d) The department by rule shall require that the change
24 interval in a light equipped with a photographic traffic signal
25 enforcement system must be at least one second longer than the
26 minimum change interval established in accordance with the Texas
27 Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

28 (b) This subsection and Subsection (a) of this section
29 take effect immediately if this Act receives a vote of two-
30 thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by

1 Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does
2 not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
3 subsection and Subsection (a) of this section take effect
4 September 1, 2009.