By: Burrows H.B. No. 3758

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to the assessment and disposition of charges for
- 3 registering a motor vehicle that has been operated while improperly
- 4 registered.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 6 SECTION 1. Section 502.045, Transportation Code, is amended
- 7 by adding Subsections (d-1) and (g) to read as follows:
- 8 (d-1) Every 60th day after the date the vehicle registration
- 9 became delinquent, the additional charge described by Subsection
- 10 (d)(2) is increased by an amount equal to the amount of the original
- 11 additional charge, except that the sum of the additional charges
- 12 may not exceed \$200.
- 13 (g) The county-assessor collector of a county that is part
- 14 of a planning area for which a metropolitan planning organization
- 15 has been designated shall send to the organization the revenue from
- 16 an additional charge described by Subsection (d) or (d-1), to be
- 17 used for the purposes authorized by Section 7-a, Article VIII,
- 18 <u>Texas Constitution</u>.
- 19 SECTION 2. Section 502.198(a), Transportation Code, is
- 20 amended to read as follows:
- 21 (a) Except as provided by Sections 502.045, 502.058,
- 22 502.060, 502.1911, 502.192, and 502.357, this section applies to
- 23 all fees collected by a county assessor-collector under this
- 24 chapter.

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1 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.