

BILL ANALYSIS

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H.B. 1372
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AUTHOR'S / SPONSOR'S STATEMENT OF INTENT

H.B. 1372 amends current law relating to information included in the curriculum of each driver education course and driving safety course.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

Rulemaking authority is expressly granted to the Texas Commission of Licensing and Regulation in SECTION 1 (1001.1091, Education Code) of this bill.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Subchapter C, Chapter 1001, Education Code, by adding Section 1001.1091, as follows:

Sec. 1001.1091. INFORMATION RELATING TO CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY SEAT SYSTEMS. Requires the Texas Commission of Licensing and Regulation (TCLR), by rule, to require that information relating to the proper use of child passenger safety seat systems be included in the curriculum of each driver education and driving safety course.

SECTION 2. (a) Requires TCLR, not later than March 1, 2018, to adopt the rules required by Section 1001.1091, Education Code, as added by this Act.

(b) Requires each provider of a driver education course or driving safety course, not later than September 1, 2018, to submit the curriculum adopted pursuant to Section 1001.1091, Education Code, as added by this Act, to TCLR for approval.

SECTION 3. Effective date: September 1, 2017.