

1-1 By: Lucio III (Senate Sponsor - Lucio) H.B. No. 1741
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 6, 2015;
1-3 May 6, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Transportation; May 19, 2015, reported favorably by the following
1-5 vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 19, 2015, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Nichols	X			
1-9	Huffines	X			
1-10	Ellis	X			
1-11	Fraser	X			
1-12	Garcia	X			
1-13	Hall	X			
1-14	Hancock	X			
1-15	Kolkhorst	X			
1-16	Taylor of Collin	X			

1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to route designation for the issuance of a permit for the
1-20 movement of oversize and overweight vehicles in certain counties.

1-21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. Section [623.219\(a\)](#), Transportation Code, is
1-23 amended to read as follows:

1-24 (a) For a permit issued by a port authority located in a
1-25 county that borders the United Mexican States, the commission
1-26 shall, with the consent of the port authority, designate the most
1-27 direct route from:

1-28 (1) the Gateway International Bridge or the Veterans
1-29 International Bridge at Los Tomates to the entrance of the Port of
1-30 Brownsville using State Highways 48 and 4 or United States Highways
1-31 77 and 83 or using United States Highway 77 and United States
1-32 Highway 83, East Loop Corridor, and State Highway 4; and

1-33 (2) the Free Trade International Bridge to:

1-34 (A) the entrance of the Port of Brownsville using
1-35 Farm-to-Market Road 509, United States Highways 77 and 83,
1-36 Farm-to-Market Road 511, State Highway 550, and East Loop (State
1-37 Highway 32);

1-38 (B) the eastern entrance of the Port of Harlingen
1-39 using Farm-to-Market Road 509, United States Highway 77 Business,
1-40 and Farm-to-Market Road 1846;

1-41 (C) the western entrance of the Port of Harlingen
1-42 using Farm-to-Market Roads 509 and 106;

1-43 (D) the southern entrance of the Harlingen
1-44 Industrial Park using Farm-to-Market Road 509; and

1-45 (E) the southern entrance of the Harlingen
1-46 Aerotropolis at Valley International Airport using Farm-to-Market
1-47 Road 509.

1-48 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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