1-1 By: Lozano (Senate Sponsor - LaMantia) H.B. No. 639
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 6, 2023;
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1-4 Affairs; May 16, 2023, reported favorably by the following vote:
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- 1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE 1-7 Yea Nav Absent PNV 1-8 Hughes Х 1-9 Х Paxton 1-10 1-11 Х Bettencourt Birdwell Х 1-12 LaMantia Х 1-13 Menéndez Х Middleton Х 1-14 1**-**15 1**-**16 Parker Х Perry χ 1-17 Schwertner Χ 1-18 Zaffirini Х
 - A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

1-21 relating to the number of temporary licenses to conduct bingo 1-22 issued to certain authorized organizations in a calendar year. 1-23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-24 SECTION 1. Sections 2001.103(c) and (e), Occupations Code, 1-25 are amended to read as follows:

1-26 (c) An <u>authorized</u> organization <u>that does not hold a regular</u> 1-27 <u>license to conduct bingo</u> may [not] receive <u>not</u> more than <u>12</u> [six] 1-28 temporary licenses in a calendar year.

1-29 (e) <u>An</u> [Notwithstanding Subsection (c), an] authorized 1-30 organization that holds an annual license to conduct bingo may 1-31 receive not more than 24 temporary licenses during the 12-month 1-32 period following the issuance or renewal of the license. The 1-33 holder of a license that is effective for two years may receive not 1-34 more than 24 temporary licenses for each 12-month period that ends 1-35 on an anniversary of the date the license was issued or renewed. 1-36 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.

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