

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the automatic suspension of the driver's license of
3 certain persons convicted of the offense of manslaughter.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 521.341, Transportation Code, is amended
6 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 521.341. REQUIREMENTS FOR AUTOMATIC LICENSE
8 SUSPENSION. Except as provided by Sections 521.344(d)-(i), a
9 license is automatically suspended on final conviction of the
10 license holder of:

11 (1) an offense under Section 19.05, Penal Code,
12 committed as a result of the holder's criminally negligent
13 operation of a motor vehicle;

14 (2) an offense under Section 38.04, Penal Code, if the
15 holder used a motor vehicle in the commission of the offense;

16 (3) an offense under Section 49.04 or 49.08, Penal
17 Code;

18 (4) an offense under Section 49.07, Penal Code, if the
19 holder used a motor vehicle in the commission of the offense;

20 (5) an offense punishable as a felony under the motor
21 vehicle laws of this state;

22 (6) an offense under Section 550.021; [~~or~~]

23 (7) an offense under Section 521.451 or 521.453; or

24 (8) an offense under Section 19.04, Penal Code, if the

1 holder used a motor vehicle in the commission of the offense.

2 SECTION 2. (a) The change in law made by this Act applies
3 only to an offense committed on or after September 1, 2007.

4 (b) An offense committed before September 1, 2007, is
5 covered by the law in effect when the offense was committed, and the
6 former law is continued in effect for that purpose. For purposes of
7 this section, an offense was committed before September 1, 2007, if
8 any element of the offense was committed before that date.

9 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2007.

David Newburn

President of the Senate

Jim Caddick

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1049 was passed by the House on April 12, 2007, by the following vote: Yeas 143, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting.

Robert Haney
Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1049 was passed by the Senate on May 22, 2007, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Daisy Spaw
Secretary of the Senate

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Rick Perry

Governor

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