SECTION 1. Subsection (e-i), Section 504.202, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(e-i) Other than license plates issued under Subsection (h), license plates issued under this section may include, on request:

(1) the emblem of the veteran's branch of service; or

(2) one emblem from another license plate to which the person is entitled to a person also entitled to license plates issued under Section 504.308, 504.315, or 504.316, may, at the request of the person, include one emblem from the other license plates to which the person is entitled.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed the Senate on March 27, 2013: Yeas 30, Nays 0; passed the House on April 18, 2013: Yeas 142, Nays 0, one present not voting.

Approved May 2, 2013.

Effective September 1, 2013.

CHAPTER 8

S.B. No. 543

AN ACT

relating to the authority of the Midland County Hospital District of Midland County, Texas, to employ and commission peace officers.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 1061, Special District Local Laws Code, is amended by adding Section 1061.121 to read as follows:

Sec. 1061.121. EMPLOYMENT OF DISTRICT PEACE OFFICERS. (a) The board may employ and commission peace officers for the district.

(b) The jurisdiction of a peace officer commissioned under this section includes the property owned or controlled by the district.

(c) In a district peace officer's jurisdiction, the peace officer has the authority granted by Chapter 14, Code of Criminal Procedure.

SECTION 2. Article 2.12, Code of Criminal Procedure, is amended to read as follows:

Art. 2.12. WHO ARE PEACE OFFICERS. The following are peace officers:

(1) sheriffs, their deputies, and those reserve deputies who hold a permanent peace officer license issued under Chapter 1701, Occupations Code;

(2) constables, deputy constables, and those reserve deputy constables who hold a permanent peace officer license issued under Chapter 1701, Occupations Code;

(3) marshals or police officers of an incorporated city, town, or village, and those reserve municipal police officers who hold a permanent peace officer license issued under Chapter 1701, Occupations Code;

(4) rangers and officers commissioned by the Public Safety Commission and the Director of the Department of Public Safety;

(5) investigators of the district attorneys', criminal district attorneys', and county attorneys' offices;

(6) law enforcement agents of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission;

(7) each member of an arson investigating unit commissioned by a city, a county, or the state;

(8) officers commissioned under Section 37.081, Education Code, or Subchapter E, Chapter 51, Education Code;

(9) officers commissioned by the General Services Commission;
(10) law enforcement officers commissioned by the Parks and Wildlife Commission;

(11) airport police officers commissioned by a city with a population of more than 1.18 million located primarily in a county with a population of 2 million or more that operates an airport that serves commercial air carriers;

(12) airport security personnel commissioned as peace officers by the governing body of any political subdivision of this state, other than a city described by Subdivision (11), that operates an airport that serves commercial air carriers;

(13) municipal park and recreational patrolmen and security officers;

(14) security officers and investigators commissioned as peace officers by the comptroller;

(15) officers commissioned by a water control and improvement district under Section 49.216, Water Code;

(16) officers commissioned by a board of trustees under Chapter 54, Transportation Code;

(17) investigators commissioned by the Texas Medical Board;

(18) officers commissioned by:

(A) the board of managers of the Dallas County Hospital District, the Tarrant County Hospital District, the Bexar County Hospital District, or the El Paso County Hospital District under Section 281.057, Health and Safety Code; [and]

(B) the board of directors of the Ector County Hospital District under Section 1024.117, Special District Local Laws Code; and

(C) the board of directors of the Midland County Hospital District of Midland County, Texas, under Section 1061.121, Special District Local Laws Code;

(19) county park rangers commissioned under Subchapter E, Chapter 351, Local Government Code;

(20) investigators employed by the Texas Racing Commission;

(21) officers commissioned under Chapter 554, Occupations Code;

(22) officers commissioned by the governing body of a metropolitan rapid transit authority under Section 451.108, Transportation Code, or by a regional transportation authority under Section 452.110, Transportation Code;

(23) investigators commissioned by the attorney general under Section 402.009, Government Code;

(24) security officers and investigators commissioned as peace officers under Chapter 466, Government Code;

(25) an officer employed by the Department of State Health Services under Section 431.2471, Health and Safety Code;

(26) officers appointed by an appellate court under Subchapter F, Chapter 53, Government Code;

(27) officers commissioned by the state fire marshal under Chapter 417, Government Code;

(28) an investigator commissioned by the commissioner of insurance under Section 701.104, Insurance Code;

(29) apprehension specialists and inspectors general commissioned by the Texas Juvenile Justice Department as officers under Sections 242.102 and 243.052, Human Resources Code;

(30) officers appointed by the inspector general of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice under Section 493.019, Government Code;

(31) investigators commissioned by the Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education under Section 1701.160, Occupations Code;

(32) commission investigators commissioned by the Texas Private Security Board under Section 1702.061(f), Occupations Code;
(33) the fire marshal and any officers, inspectors, or investigators commissioned by an 
emergency services district under Chapter 775, Health and Safety Code;

(34) officers commissioned by the State Board of Dental Examiners under Section 
254.013, Occupations Code, subject to the limitations imposed by that section;

(35) investigators commissioned by the Texas Juvenile Justice Department as officers 
under Section 221.011, Human Resources Code; and

(36) the fire marshal and any related officers, inspectors, or investigators commissioned 
by a county under Subchapter B, Chapter 352, Local Government Code.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the 
members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If 
this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect 
September 1, 2013.

Passed the Senate on March 27, 2013: Yeas 30, Nays 0; passed the House on April 18, 
2013: Yeas 143, Nays 0, two present not voting.

Approved May 2, 2013.

Effective May 2, 2013.

CHAPTER 9

S.B. No. 847

AN ACT

relating to business entities and associations.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Subsection (d), Section 3.059, Business Organizations Code, is amended to 
read as follows:

(d) A restated certificate of formation that makes new amendments to the certificate of 
formation being restated must:

(1) be accompanied by a statement that each new amendment has been made in 
accordance with this code;

(2) [identify by reference or description each added, altered, or deleted provision;

(3) be accompanied by a statement that each amendment has been approved in the 
manner required by this code and the governing documents of the entity;

(3) be accompanied by a statement that the restated certificate of formation:

(A) accurately states the text of the certificate of formation being restated and each 
amendment to the certificate of formation being restated that is in effect, as further 
amended by the restated certificate of formation; and

(B) does not contain any other change in the certificate of formation being restated 
except for information omitted under Subsection (b); and

(4) include any other information required by the title of this code applicable to the 
entity.

SECTION 2. Subsection (d), Section 7.001, Business Organizations Code, is amended to 
read as follows:

(d) The liability of a governing person may be limited or eliminated [restricted]:

(1) in a general partnership by its partnership agreement to the same extent Subsections 
(b) and (c) permit the limitation or elimination of liability of a governing person of an 
organization to which those subsections apply and to the additional extent permitted 
under Chapter 152;

(2) in a limited partnership by its partnership agreement to the same extent Subsections 
(b) and (c) permit the limitation or elimination of liability of a governing person of an