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ICT and its member companies want all drivers to be safe on the over 300,000 miles of roads in Texas. For more safe driving resources, visit insurancecouncil.org/distracteddriving

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