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____.B. No. _____

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the use of district funds by the Nueces County Hospital
3 District.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 281.094(b), Health and Safety Code, is
6 amended to read as follows:

7 (b) The board of the Nueces County Hospital District may use
8 funds made available to the district from any source to fund:

9 (1) indigent health care; and

10 (2) intergovernmental transfers from the district to
11 the state to provide the nonfederal share of Medicaid supplemental
12 payment program or waiver program payments, including any payments
13 available through a waiver under Section 1115 of the federal Social
14 Security Act (42 U.S.C. Section 1315), or other similar payments
15 for health care providers located in or outside of the district.

16 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
17 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
18 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
19 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
20 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.