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H.B. No. 15

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to making supplemental appropriations and reductions in
3 appropriations.

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

5 SECTION 1. AUSTIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE: GROUP HEALTH
6 INSURANCE. In addition to amounts previously appropriated for the
7 state fiscal biennium ending August 31, 2007, the amount of
8 \$3,678,942 is appropriated out of the general revenue fund to
9 Austin Community College for the two-year period beginning on the
10 effective date of this Act for the purpose of correcting the
11 institution's underreporting of its state-funded group health
12 insurance enrollment for fiscal years 2006 and 2007.

13 SECTION 2. SOUTH PLAINS COLLEGE: GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE.
14 In addition to amounts previously appropriated for the state fiscal
15 biennium ending August 31, 2007, the amount of \$1,424,764 is
16 appropriated out of the general revenue fund to South Plains
17 College for the two-year period beginning on the effective date of
18 this Act for the purpose of correcting the institution's
19 underreporting of its state-funded group health insurance
20 enrollment for fiscal years 2006 and 2007.

21 SECTION 3. TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE:
22 OPERATIONS. In addition to amounts previously appropriated for the
23 state fiscal biennium ending August 31, 2007, the amount of
24 \$47,000,000 is appropriated out of the general revenue fund to the

1 Texas Department of Criminal Justice for the two-year period
2 beginning on the effective date of this Act for the purpose of
3 providing for salaries and wages, hazardous duty and longevity pay,
4 overtime pay, contractual rate adjustments, utilities, and fuel.

5 SECTION 4. TEXAS MEDICAL BOARD: OPERATIONS. In addition to
6 amounts previously appropriated for the state fiscal biennium
7 ending August 31, 2007, the amount of \$1,007,827 is appropriated
8 out of the general revenue fund to the Texas Medical Board for the
9 two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act for the
10 purpose of:

11 (1) repaying the Governor's Emergency and Deficiency
12 Grant awarded in fiscal year 2006; and

13 (2) providing for agency operating expenses for
14 licensing and enforcement.

15 SECTION 5. TEXAS BUILDING AND PROCUREMENT COMMISSION:
16 MAINTENANCE. In addition to amounts previously appropriated for
17 the state fiscal biennium ending August 31, 2007, the amount of
18 \$64,013,000 is appropriated out of the general revenue fund to the
19 Texas Building and Procurement Commission for the two-year period
20 beginning on the effective date of this Act for the purpose of
21 providing for various life safety and deferred maintenance
22 projects.

23 SECTION 6. TEXAS BUILDING AND PROCUREMENT COMMISSION:
24 ABATEMENT OF ASBESTOS AND BUILD-OUT OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN BUILDING.
25 In addition to amounts previously appropriated for the state fiscal
26 biennium ending August 31, 2007, the amount of \$12,014,700 is
27 appropriated out of the general revenue fund to the Texas Building

1 and Procurement Commission for the two-year period beginning on the
2 effective date of this Act for the purpose of the abatement of
3 asbestos and the build-out of the Stephen F. Austin Building.

4 SECTION 7. HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION: MEDICARE
5 PART D GIVEBACK. (a) An amount not to exceed \$111,100,000 is
6 appropriated out of the general revenue fund to the Health and Human
7 Services Commission for the state fiscal year ending August 31,
8 2007, for the purpose of repaying the federal government the
9 amounts determined by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
10 to be due in accordance with the phased-down state contribution for
11 full dual-eligible persons as required by the Medicare Prescription
12 Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003, Pub. L. No.
13 108-173, 117 Stat. 2066.

14 (b) If any money appropriated by this section and paid to
15 the federal government is subsequently returned by the federal
16 government to the Health and Human Services Commission or to
17 another state agency or office as a result of litigation,
18 reimbursement, or other federal assistance:

19 (1) the state agency or office receiving the money
20 shall report the return of the money to the Legislative Budget Board
21 and inform the board of the circumstances of its return; and

22 (2) the money may not be spent without the prior
23 approval of the Legislative Budget Board.

24 SECTION 8. REDUCTION IN VETOED FUNDS APPROPRIATION. The
25 appropriations made from general revenue by Section 13.18, Article
26 IX, Chapter 1369, Acts of the 79th Legislature, Regular Session,
27 2005 (the General Appropriations Act), are reduced by an amount

1 equal to the cumulative amount of appropriations made by this Act.

2 SECTION 9. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act takes effect
3 immediately.