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S.B. No. 2159

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the number of families served by the nurse-family
3 partnership competitive grant program.

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

5 SECTION 1. Subsection (b), Section 531.452, Government
6 Code, as added by Chapter 348 (S.B. 156), Acts of the 80th
7 Legislature, Regular Session, 2007, is amended to read as follows:

8 (b) The commission shall award grants under the program to
9 applicants, including applicants operating existing programs, in a
10 manner that ensures that the partnership programs collectively:

11 (1) operate in multiple communities that are
12 geographically distributed throughout this state; and

13 (2) provide program services to at least
14 ~~[approximately]~~ 2,000 families.

15 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.