

1-1 By: Guillen (Senate Sponsor - Zaffirini) H.B. No. 504  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 13, 2015;  
 1-3 April 30, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Health  
 1-4 and Human Services; May 22, 2015, reported favorably by the  
 1-5 following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 22, 2015, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to designating the second full week in September as Direct  
 1-20 Support Professionals Week.

1-21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. Subchapter E, Chapter 662, Government Code, is  
 1-23 amended by adding Section 662.155 to read as follows:

1-24 Sec. 662.155. DIRECT SUPPORT PROFESSIONALS WEEK. The  
 1-25 second full week in September is Direct Support Professionals Week  
 1-26 to honor the work of direct support professionals as an integral  
 1-27 part of the long-term support system for individuals with physical  
 1-28 and mental disabilities.

1-29 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
 1-30 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
 1-31 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
 1-32 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
 1-33 Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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