

1-1 By: Fallon S.B. No. 1899  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 7, 2019; March 18, 2019, read  
 1-3 first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs;  
 1-4 April 15, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 9,  
 1-5 Nays 0; April 15, 2019, 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 the dismissal of certain actions relating to Medicaid  
 1-20 fraud.

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

1-22 SECTION 1. The heading to Section 36.102, Human Resources  
 1-23 Code, is amended to read as follows:

1-24 Sec. 36.102. INITIATION OF ACTION; CONSENT REQUIRED FOR  
 1-25 DISMISSAL.

1-26 SECTION 2. Section 36.102(e), Human Resources Code, is  
 1-27 amended to read as follows:

1-28 (e) An action under this subchapter may be dismissed [~~before~~  
 1-29 ~~the end of the period during which the petition remains under seal]~~  
 1-30 only if the court and the attorney general consent in writing to the  
 1-31 dismissal and state their reasons for consenting.

1-32 SECTION 3. The change in law made by this Act applies only  
 1-33 to an action brought on or after the effective date of this Act. An  
 1-34 action brought before the effective date of this Act is governed by  
 1-35 the law applicable to the action immediately before the effective  
 1-36 date of this Act, and that law is continued in effect for that  
 1-37 purpose.

1-38 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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