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H.B. No. 2099

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to a requirement that the Health and Human Services
3 Commission establish and operate a state hospital in a county
4 located in the Panhandle region of this state.

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

6 SECTION 1. Chapter 552, Health and Safety Code, is amended
7 by adding Subchapter F to read as follows:

8 SUBCHAPTER F. STATE HOSPITAL IN PANHANDLE REGION

9 Sec. 552.201. DUTY TO ESTABLISH AND OPERATE. The
10 commission shall establish and operate a state hospital in a county
11 located in the Panhandle region of this state.

12 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.