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S.B. No. 730

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the granting of privileges to and the authority of
3 podiatrists at hospitals.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 241.102, Health and Safety Code, is
6 amended by amending Subsection (c) and adding Subsection (f) to
7 read as follows:

8 (c) An applicant for medical staff membership or privileges
9 may not be denied membership or privileges solely on the ground that
10 the applicant is a podiatrist rather than a physician.

11 (f) This section does not authorize a podiatrist to practice
12 beyond the scope of the podiatrist's license to practice podiatry.

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