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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

Τ	AN ACT
2	relating to a webpage and mobile application for the provision of
3	pregnancy-related resources and information.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5	SECTION 1. Chapter 161, Health and Safety Code, is amended
6	by adding Subchapter Z to read as follows:
7	SUBCHAPTER Z. PREGNANCY-RELATED RESOURCES AND INFORMATION
8	Sec. 161.751. PREGNANCY-RELATED RESOURCES AND INFORMATION
9	WEBPAGE. (a) The commission, in consultation with the Department
10	of Information Resources, shall develop and maintain on the
11	Texas.gov Internet website a publicly accessible, mobile-friendly
12	webpage of pregnancy-related resources and information, including:
13	(1) any available resources for:
14	(A) mental health counseling, pregnancy
15	counseling, and other prenatal and postpartum services;
16	(B) mentorship opportunities, including
17	<pre>pregnancy assistance and case management;</pre>
18	(C) health care and well-being services,
19	including services for obstetrical and gynecological support,
20	abortion pill reversal, breastfeeding assistance, health care, and
21	dental care;
22	(D) financial assistance, employment
23	opportunities, nutrition assistance, child care options, and
24	educational opportunities;

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1	(E) legal services, including legal services for
2	child support, custody issues, family leave, and breastfeeding
3	<pre>protections;</pre>
4	(F) professional support, including tax
5	preparation;
6	(G) financial and housing assistance, including
7	assistance with food, nutrition, clothing, household goods, baby
8	supplies, housing options, shelter options, maternity home
9	options, and crisis pregnancy center options;
10	(H) recovery and mental health services,
11	including services for addiction or suicide intervention,
12	counseling services for victims of intimate partner violence,
13	sexual assault, or sex trafficking, and counseling services for the
14	unexpected loss of a child;
15	(I) prenatal diagnostic services and postnatal
16	pediatric hospice services, including disability support
17	organizations, newborn medical interventions, and supportive
18	<pre>palliative care;</pre>
19	(J) healing and support services for abortion
20	survivors and the survivors' families; and
21	(K) services related to providing care for
22	children, including services for public and private adoption,
23	kinship care, foster care, and short-term child care;
24	(2) any available information about:
25	(A) alternatives to abortion;
26	(B) abortion risks, including complications and
27	failures;

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1	(C) child development beginning at conception;
2	(D) pregnancy wellness;
3	(E) family planning;
4	(F) the Healthy Texas Women program defined by
5	<u>Section 32.151;</u>
6	(G) the Thriving Texas Families program
7	administered by the commission;
8	(H) safe haven laws, including newborn safety
9	devices and designated emergency infant care providers, as defined
10	by Section 262.301, Family Code; and
11	(I) any pregnancy-related services provided by a
12	<pre>county in this state; and</pre>
13	(3) any other resources or information considered
14	helpful to pregnant women.
15	(b) The webpage described by Subsection (a) must:
16	(1) through a series of questions, provide the person
17	accessing the webpage information tailored to the person's answers,
18	including information regarding risks related to abortion at all
19	stages of gestation;
20	(2) allow for webpage users to submit feedback
21	regarding whether the webpage is user-friendly and helpful in
22	providing tailored answers described by Subdivision (1); and
23	(3) include a tool to search for resources described
24	by Subsection (a) by zip code and county.
25	Sec. 161.752. PREGNANCY-RELATED RESOURCES AND INFORMATION
26	MOBILE APPLICATION. The commission, in consultation with the
27	Department of Information Resources, may develop a mobile

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- 1 <u>application that:</u>
- 2 (1) provides the resources and information described
- 3 by Section 161.751(a); and
- 4 (2) satisfies the requirements described by Section
- 5 <u>161.751(b).</u>
- 6 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.