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H.B. No. 260

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to posting requirements for certain personal fitness instructors.

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

SECTION 1. Subtitle M, Title 3, Occupations Code, is amended by adding Chapter 703 to read as follows:

CHAPTER 703. PERSONAL FITNESS INSTRUCTORS

Sec. 703.001. DEFINITIONS. In this chapter:

(1) "Health spa" has the meaning assigned by Section 702.003(4).

(2) "Personal fitness instructor" means a person who practices personal fitness training for compensation.

(3) "Personal fitness training" means physical fitness testing and the design and implementation of an exercise or weight training program for an individual at a health spa.

Sec. 703.002. POSTING OF CERTIFICATION AND TRAINING. Each personal fitness instructor shall post in the health spa facility at which the training is performed any certificate that the instructor has earned through completion of a training program offered by a nationally recognized entity that offers training and certification to personal fitness instructors.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.