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H.B. No. 1399

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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AN ACT

2 relating to joint negotiation by physicians and health benefit
3 plans.

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

5 SECTION 1. Article 29.14, Insurance Code, is amended to
6 read as follows:

7 Art. 29.14. EXPIRATION. This chapter expires September 1,
8 2007 [~~2003~~].

9 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
10 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
11 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
12 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
13 Act takes effect September 1, 2003.