By: Chisum H.B. No. 1686

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 1686:

By: Wohlgemuth C.S.H.B. No. 1686

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to pharmacies that maintain emergency medication kits at

3 certain institutions.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 562.108(a), Occupations Code, is amended

6 to read as follows:

- 7 (a) A Class A or Class C pharmacy, or a Class E pharmacy
- 8 located not more than 20 miles from an institution in this state
- 9 that is licensed under Chapter 242 or 252, Health and Safety Code,
- 10 may maintain controlled substances and dangerous drugs in an
- 11 emergency medication kit used at an institution licensed under
- 12 those chapters [Chapter 242 or 252, Health and Safety Code]. The
- 13 controlled substances and dangerous drugs may be used only for the
- 14 emergency medication needs of a resident at that institution.
- 15 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 16 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 17 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 18 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 19 Act takes effect September 1, 2003.