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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1	AN ACT
2	relating to the development and implementation of a Texas music
3	compact disc project by the Texas Commission on the Arts.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5	SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 444, Government Code, is
6	amended by adding Section 444.032 to read as follows:
7	Sec. 444.032. TEXAS MUSIC PROJECT. (a) The commission
8	shall develop and implement a Texas music compact disc project
9	under which the commission shall create, promote, and distribute a
10	series of compact discs that feature the work of established and
11	emerging music artists of this state.
12	(b) The commission shall seek donations of time, talent, and
13	property from music artists and other persons to help facilitate
14	the project.
15	(c) All proceeds from the sale of compact discs under the
16	project shall be deposited in the Texas cultural endowment fund
17	under Section 444.026.
18	(d) In accordance with this chapter and commission policy,
19	the commission shall use part of the interest earned on the proceeds
20	of the project to fund grants of money that promote music education
21	through the commission's arts education grant program.
22	SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
23	a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
24	provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this

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1 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this

2 Act takes effect September 1, 2003.