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AN ACT

relating to involuntary medical separation from employment of
firefighters in certain cities.

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

SECTION 1. Section 143.1115, Local Government Code, is
amended by adding Subsection (g) to read as follows:

(g) A fire fighter who has suffered a line of duty illness or
injury and who is determined under the procedure prescribed by this
section to be unable to perform the fire fighter's duties or
assignment may not be involuntarily medically separated from
employment in the classified service if there is any other position
within the fire department that the fire fighter is capable of
performing.

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