By: Madla S.B. No. 1026

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to hospital and medical care required to be provided by the
- 3 Maverick County Hospital District.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 3, Chapter 172, Acts of the 59th
- 6 Legislature, Regular Session, 1965, is amended to read as follows:
- 7 Sec. 3. PURPOSE OF DISTRICT. The District authorized to be
- 8 created by this Act is charged with the responsibility of
- 9 undertaking any measure, consistent with Section 9, Article IX,
- 10 Texas Constitution, and this Act, that the Board of Directors
- 11 determines is necessary to provide hospital and medical care to the
- 12 needy residents of the District. After this District is created as
- 13 provided in Section 4 of this Act, no other municipality or
- 14 political subdivision of this state may levy taxes or issue bonds or
- other obligations of indebtedness for the purpose of providing
- 16 hospital service or medical care within the District. This
- 17 District shall undertake any measure, consistent with Section 9,
- 18 Article IX, Texas Constitution, and this Act, that the Board of
- 19 Directors determines is necessary to provide [all necessary]
- 20 hospital and medical care for the needy inhabitants of the
- 21 District.
- SECTION 2. Section 11(n), Chapter 172, Acts of the 59th
- 23 Legislature, Regular Session, 1965, is amended to read as follows:
- (n) The Board, based on the estimated amount of revenues and

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- 1 balances available to cover the proposed annual budget for the
- 2 <u>District,</u> may <u>annually</u> determine the type and extent of hospital
- 3 and medical care services offered by the District.
- 4 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 5 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 6 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 7 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 8 Act takes effect September 1, 2005.