

Amend **CSHB 109** by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTION and renumbering the subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION ____: Section 32.042(a), Health and Safety Code, is amended by adding Subsection (3) to read as follows:

§ 32.042. DUTIES OF BOARD; RULES. (a) The board by rule shall adopt:

(1) minimum standards and objectives to implement voluntary perinatal health care systems; ~~and~~

(2) policies for health promotion and education, risk assessment, access to care, and perinatal system structure, including the transfer and transportation of pregnant women and infants; and

(3) enrollment and renewal policies that allow for coverage under the perinatal program beginning before conception and continuing until the child's sixth birthday.