

Amend SB 909 on third reading by adding an appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill to read as follows and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the book accordingly:

SECTION _____. Chapter 493, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 493.0022 to read as follows:

Sec. 493.0022. CHAPLAINCY DIVISION. (a) The chaplaincy division is a division within the department. The division shall provide chaplaincy and other spiritual services to inmates confined in the department and shall perform other tasks assigned by the board.

(b) The board shall employ a person as the director of the chaplaincy division. The director of the chaplaincy division reports directly to the board.